

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains high on the Northern coast, and fine, moderately cold weather prevails over this province. Snow has again fallen in the Prairie Provinces.

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Federal Legislation to Strengthen Provincial Liquor Laws Promised

Question of Federal Subsidies to Provinces Stands Over Until Today at Ottawa Premiers' Conference—Minister Says That Nothing in B.N.A. Act Limits Scope of Federal Taxation

Finance Minister Robb Insists Upon Need for Federal Economy

OTTAWA, Nov. 9.—Federal legislation to strengthen the liquor laws of the provinces, in certain respects, will be introduced at the next session of Parliament, Hon. W. D. Euler, Minister of National Revenue, intimated to the Provincial Premiers' Conference tonight. Mr. Euler expressed his willingness to strengthen the hands of the provinces wherever it was possible to do so.

Reduction of excise duty on liquor as a means of combating the bootlegger, curtailment of bonded warehouses and the right of individuals to import, were among the points discussed in regard to the liquor question.

Rapid progress was made at this evening's conference, which rose at midnight. Uniformity of laws in regard to the retirement of judges and the taxation of soldier settlement lands were also under review.

The question of Federal subsidies, it was announced, was left stand over until tomorrow afternoon, when J. A. Robb, Minister of Finance, will make a statement.

The majority of speakers favored an increase in the salaries of judges, but did not favor an age limit.

LIQUOR LEGISLATION

Mr. Euler declared that the Government had every desire to co-operate with all the provinces respecting liquor legislation and was sympathetic with the suggestions made.

Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, declared that the Government was desirous of implementing the hands of the provinces, if an amendment to the Temperance Act was needed he was quite willing to introduce a bill to that effect, either as a part of the existing Act, or as a separate bill. He was not prepared, however, to take any definite decision at the present moment with respect to the proposed repeal of the Canada Temperance Act.

Attorney-General Manson, of British Columbia, expressed the hope that an independent piece of legislation would be introduced and that the bonded warehouses be got rid of as soon as possible. He believed that a reduction of the excise duties on liquor would assist in putting down the liquor traffic, but on the other hand he regarded liquor as a legitimate source of revenue. Should the duty be reduced, his province, however, would at once pass the reduction on to the consumer.

SUBSIDIES AND TAXES

"The Dominion Government is prepared to help the provinces in so far as it can justify its position before Parliament." This was the declaration of Hon. J. A. Robb, Minister of Finance, in the consideration of federal subsidies at the Provincial Premiers' Conference this afternoon.

Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Railways, and Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, put forward the views of the Dominion Government. Mr. Dunning dealt with the question of provincial railways which their owners desired to have taken over by the Canadian National Railways; while Mr. Lapointe discussed the question of the Dominion Government's position on the subject of the proposed repeal of the Canada Temperance Act.

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From the Colonist Tower

Thursday, November 10

314th Day, 1927

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity: Light to moderate winds, partly cloudy and cold at night.

Sun Rise: 7:14 a.m.

Sun Set: 4:41 p.m.

High Tide: 2:17 p.m., 9.5 feet.

Low Tide: 10:11 p.m., 6.8 feet.

Sport

Many changes this year in Davis Cup tennis regulations.

Vic Foley gives Seattle box boxing lesson.

Mike McGuire tells newspapermen he will retire from ring within a year.

Tiger Flowers and Rosenbloom fight ten furious rounds to draw.

Gene Tunney reported to be in line for purchasing string of racehorses.

New York women to start campaign against professional boxing.

Twenty-seventh world chess game ends in draw.

The News

Local and Provincial:

Government proposes to start construction of West Coast road next year.

Year reviewed and future contemplated at banquet of Saanich Board of Trade.

Improvements to be carried out at Crystal Garden.

Opening of Anglican College at Point Grey.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—Premier Baldwin makes encouraging Guildhall speech.

Minister of Railways not ready to take over all provincial railways.

Viceroy of India addresses people on commission appointed to re-organize system of taxation.

SURVEYS ARE TO CONTINUE THIS WINTER

Government Proposes to Start Construction of Road From Jordan River to Banfield Next Year

SETTLERS LEAVING THROUGH ISOLATION

Hon. Dr. Tolmie Pledged Himself to Secure West Coast Road, When Conservatives Enter Power

"THE announcement that the Provincial Government will conduct surveys for the West Coast road this winter, following the receipt of preliminary reports on the suggested road from Jordan River to Banfield, is connected in Conservative circles with statement that was made by Hon. Dr. Tolmie at a recent meeting here that the Conservative party should proceed with this essential undertaking as it was called upon to form an administration."

The announcement from the Minister of Public Works follows so closely on the statement of the leader of the Conservative party at a meeting at the Campbell Building on Friday that it was felt an early announcement was imperative.

That no determined effort has been made in the decade that has passed since a Liberal administration achieved power toward providing much-needed road facilities for the settlers, timbermen, miners and other substantial builders of business along the Island coast, was stressed by Dr. Tolmie as tangible testimony to non-cooperation on the present government's part of opportunities for promotion of population and prosperity in this important sector of British Columbia.

ISOLATION OF PORT RENFREW

There is an almost tragic element in the isolation of Port Renfrew and at other points on the West Coast of the province, a substantial isolation has taken place in past years, the pioneering settlers being given assurances of highway access to centres of supply and markets for their products. Pledges in this connection failing realization, in families and in groups they have drifted back to the congested centres year by year, abandoning their holdings and their hopes. In the San Juan valley alone, a consequence, there are some sixty-four abandoned dwellings, barns and other settlement buildings, pathetic monuments to the failure of government policy.

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ROMANIAN LAW TIGHTENS REIN

ENACTMENT OF STRICT MEASURES PROPOSED TO MEET CAROLIST PLOTS

Public Safety Act Would Give Wide Powers for Checking Seditious Movements

BUCHAREST, Nov. 9.—With strict censorship already in effect, Premier Bratino today laid before the regency a proposal for stringent measures to be taken against persons who seek in any way to change the existing regime in Rumania.

The action came on the eve of the trial of M. Manolescu, former Under Secretary of Finance, for alleged participation in a plot to restore former Crown Prince Carol to the throne.

The bill provides that, "whoever shall attempt by word of mouth, or by writing, or by any other means, anything which may have as its object a plot against institutions provided for by the constitution, or threatens the existing government or monarchy, or attempts to cause agitation from which result danger to the state, shall be punished by six months to five years in jail and fined from 10,000 to 100,000 lei."

The bill provides imprisonment from six months to two years and fines of from 5,000 to 50,000 lei for any one spreading false news concerning a change of institutions, and for agents, provocateurs, and accomplices. Among exceptional measures which may be taken under the project would be the censorship or suppression of newspapers or other publications, prevention of public meetings and the suspension of individual liberty.

The newspaper Lupa says today these measures are already in force but will be intensified.

STOWAWAY PERISHES

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—A brief entry in the log of the Munson liner, Western World, which arrived from Buenos Aires today, revealed the tragic end of a stowaway, roasting to death against the ship's funnel.

"Monday—5 a.m." it read, "stowaway discovered below deck, pinned against smokestack. Dead, unrecognizable." The ship's officers said the man evidently had left his place of concealment in the bilges and had fallen against the smokestack. There, his foot wedged tightly, he was unable to free himself. The captain said the temperature of the funnel during a voyage rises to 800 degrees Fahrenheit.

GUNS WILL FIRE TO TIME SILENCE

OTTAWA, Nov. 9.—Authorization has been granted to the artillery unit at Calgary to fire two rounds on Armistice Day, at 11 a.m. and 11:02 a.m., to signify the beginning and the ending of the two minutes' silence, which the King has asked all parts of the Empire to observe. No general authorization has been issued by the Department of National Defence to other military districts.

Nonstop Record Sought



CAPTAIN R. H. MACINTOSH MR. "BERT" HINCKLER

UNDAUNTED by his unsuccessful attempt to fly from Ireland to New York this summer, Captain R. H. MacIntosh is preparing for a nonstop flight to India in an effort to break the world's long distance record, now held by Chamberlain and Levine of the United States. The daring Irishman will be accompanied by Bert Hinckler, a well-known British test pilot, who created a world's long distance record for light planes by his nonstop flight from London to Riga.

INTAKE BASIN TO BE BUILT

Will Protect Supply From Kelp at Douglas Street—Crystal Garden to Have Improvements Shortly

ROSE ARBOR TO GRACE GROUNDS

Extensive alterations entailing an expenditure of approximately \$16,000 will be carried out at the Crystal Garden during next year. Some of the work will be done in the immediate future, but the bulk of the alterations will be completed after the new year.

One of the biggest and most expensive projects will be the building of a concrete and steel intake basin on the seaward at the foot of Douglas Street. Trouble has been experienced due to the kelp beds at the source of the water supply and the number of logs washed up at the beach. This trouble will be rectified by the building of the intake basin. This task will in all probability have to wait until April or May of next year, as it is necessary to have a low tide during the work.

At the north end of the grounds a rose arbor will be built, while a gardeners' outhouse will be built at the back of the Crystal Garden. The gravel walks will be made into concrete and added to the pleasant appearance of the amusement centre. The exterior of the building will be painted throughout, while repairs will be carried out on the interior. A drainage system to the plant border along the outer walls on both sides of the promenade is proposed.

Hardwood dancing floors will be laid at both ends of the building. A new stage in the concert hall and complete theatrical equipment is also planned. New and more complete lighting system to be installed. The alterations will in all probability be carried out.

A large electric sign, which will flash at night showing the way to the grounds, is among the proposed improvements and additions.

Speaking of the matter last night, Mr. Ivan W. Awdie, manager, said, "The alterations will make the Crystal Garden more up-to-date and enable the management to give the public better service. It will also help to popularize the place."

COXEY ARMY HAS AFTERNOON TEA

Marchers Reach Bristol—Taken to Show at Theatre Evening as Guests

BRISTOL, Eng., Nov. 9.—A little army of 400 marchers en route to London to storm the halls of parliament with oratory arrived here late this afternoon and found tea waiting for them in the Crystal Garden.

Some of the older members, to whom the trip to London is a serious, even a tragic pilgrimage, were already weary and footsore from the first day's hike of the 300-mile journey, which included a ten-minute train ride through the Severn tunnel to cut off a sixty-mile walk around the Bristol channel.

As the marchers straggled into Bristol they were met by a local committee of welcome carrying red flags. The procession passed through crowded streets to the Labor party's headquarters, where they went to sleep tonight, expecting to continue towards London tomorrow.

One marcher arrived barfooted, the tragic end of a stowaway, roasting to death against the ship's funnel.

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PARALYSIS IN PORTLAND

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 9.—Four new cases of infantile paralysis, of which proved fatal in five hours, were reported to the city health office today, bringing the number of cases in Portland at the present time to sixteen.

MR. DUNNING INDEFINITE ON RAILWAYS

Dominion Cannot at Present Consider Taking Over Provincial Railways "As a Whole," He Says

AMOUNT INVOLVED IS \$200,000,000

In Addition to Alberta Railways There Are Twelve Other Lines Provinces Would Hand Over

OTTAWA, Nov. 9.—In the Dominion-Provincial Conference today, Mr. Dunning, Minister of Railways, referred to a speech by Hon. J. E. Brownlee, Premier of Alberta, who had spoken of the burden imposed upon the province through the three railways which it had constructed. Alberta, said Mr. Dunning, was not the only province which asked for taking over of certain of its railways by the Canadian National Railways. There were no less than twelve other railways which desired to become part of the C.N.R.

An obligation of approximately two hundred million dollars would be assumed by taking over these twelve railways. Mr. Dunning was ready to meet the provinces interested in an endeavor to secure an arrangement which would be of mutual advantage to all parts of Canada. It was impossible, though, he continued, to deal with the question as a whole at the present time "having consideration for the raising of the deficit in the Government's budget which the Government has to bear."

JUGOSLAVIANS TIE TO FRANCE

TREATY RECENTLY AGREED UPON SAID TO PROVIDE FOR JOINT ACTION

France Denies Alleged Clause But Synopsis of Pact Is to Be Published

PARIS, Nov. 9.—The Franco-Jugoslav treaty recently agreed upon is a pact of amity and arbitration, it was stated at the foreign office today, and contains no such provisions as have been reported in the London press regarding joint action to resist any decisions by the League of Nations endangering the security of either France or Yugoslavia.

"The highly imaginative distortion," it was stated, would be set at rest by a synopsis of the terms as published.

LONDON, Nov. 9.—The Daily Express Belgrade correspondent says that the Habsburg article of the impending pact of friendship between France and Yugoslavia reads: "France and Yugoslavia agree to take action together against any decision of the League of Nations which might endanger the security of either of the two nations."

The correspondent added, however, that other clauses declare that the pact is not contrary to the League agreement.

Interest in the treaty is largely due to the possibility of antagonism between France and Italy or between Yugoslavia and Italy. France and Italy are to some extent rivals as Mediterranean powers, and Yugoslavia and Italy have diverging views with regard to Albania.

FRANCE ELUDES U.S. LOAN RULE

SEVENTY MILLION DOLLARS BORROWED FROM SWEDISH COMPANY

Without Debt Settlement France Cannot Float Loan in U.S., But Company Can

PARIS, Nov. 9.—France learned today how cleverly Premier Poincare has found a loophole in Washington's syndicate law which prohibits countries that have not settled their war debts. The money to retire France's \$70,000,000 eight per cent bonds, borrowed through the Morgan syndicate in 1920, is coming from Wall Street—at only a little more than five per cent—but it is coming indirectly, through the Swedish Match Co., acting as intermediary.

The Match company, not having any war debts to pay, Washington naturally was not asked by Wall Street whether it would favorably view the loan.

By retiring the eight per cent bonds that would have matured in twenty-five years, and converting them into fifty-year five per cent bonds, Premier Poincare estimates that, beginning in 1929, the French Government will save 50,000,000 francs a year.

EXPLAINED TO PARLIAMENT. The conditions under which the government has arranged for the conversion of the loan was explained to the Finance Committee of the Chamber of Deputies this evening in a letter from M. Poincare. The full saving will not show in the budget until 1929, because some of the money placed at France's disposal will be used in 1928 to retire the nine per cent loan floated in 1920.

A member of the finance committee said that the committee was convinced Poincare had thoroughly explained Parliament's decision against letting out the match monopoly, and that the present agreement was purely a financial one—and a good one at that.

WEEKLY AIR MAIL SERVICE TO YUKON

OTTAWA, Nov. 9.—Postal officials announce today that permission has been granted to the Yukon Airways Exploration Company at White Horse, operating an aerial service weekly between Dawson and White Horse, and at various intervals between Atlin and White Horse via Carcross to convey ordinary letters.

Rapid Promotion

BUCHAREST, Nov. 9.—Prince Nicolas, who is only twenty-four years old, was promoted today to a lieutenantcy to a full general in the army.

The young general, who is a member of the regency, celebrated his promotion by going on a hunting trip, shooting one wild cat, two bears and seven pheasants.

Premier Baldwin Tells Of Europe's Progress Toward New Prosperity

Prime Minister in Guildhall Speech Declares Himself Optimist Because He Is Realist—Glowing Tributes Paid to Foreign Ministers of France and Germany

Solemn Appeal Addressed to India Commission May Result in New Era

LONDON, Nov. 9.—Fulfilling the traditional role of principal speaker at the Lord Mayor's banquet in the Guildhall, where once a year the big businessmen of the ancient City of London get a review of government affairs straight from Downing Street, Premier Stanley Baldwin tonight declared himself an optimist about Europe, because he is a realist.

"Great Britain, France, Germany and Italy, protagonists in the struggles of the day," he said, "now meet as equals and partners to advance the cause of peace, and they look to the convalescence of our common civilization."

Mr. Baldwin paid tribute to M. Aristide Briand, the French Foreign Minister, and Dr. Gustav Stresemann, the German Foreign Minister, as far seeing leaders who rendered a rapprochement possible.

"All Europe honors them and renders them tribute," he added. "All Europe asks where next will a statesman be found with the courage of Stresemann, the broad humanity of Briand. What country in the Balkans, in central or eastern Europe, will first follow their example, and earn like fame?"

RUSSIAN RELATIONS

The Prime Minister wished he could speak equally hopefully about Russia. There were circumstances which led Great Britain to cease diplomatic relations with Russia, he said; there were similar circumstances which prevented the United States from even beginning such relations.

"Whenever the Russians are prepared to observe the ordinary decencies of international intercourse and abstain from interference in our domestic affairs and from a policy of intrigue and hostility," he continued, "they will find us ready to meet them in the spirit of liberality and good will which inspires our whole foreign policy."

INDIAN COMMISSION

Mr. Baldwin's weightiest words related to India when he defended the policy of the non-recognition of Indians in the statutory commission.

In fact, he said, not only Indians had been excluded, but nobody who had been connected with the Indian Government or its commerce had been included, their sole desire being to give the real instructed opinions of Indians the best chance of taking effect in constructive part in devising a solution.

The Premier addressed a solemn appeal to the Indian people: "If we can approach this problem with a common determination to build for prosperity upon the best and sure foundations, then whatever the future may have in store as the fruit of its labors the Statutory Commission will go down in history as an instrument and symbol of a new era."

BRITISH INDUSTRIES

Mr. Baldwin alluded to the slight improvement in important British industries in recent months and the likelihood of increased activity in the near future.

He warmly commended the recent exhortation of Rt. Hon. Philip Snowden, former Chancellor of the Exchequer in the Labor Government, to help make the present industrial system efficient and highly productive on the condition that labor shared the improvement.

Premier Baldwin said in alluding to his visit to Canada and to the last Imperial Conference, that "Last year's conference, more than any previous one, made history and was marked by complete unanimity. I only wish that industrial troubles were faced here in the same spirit and wholehearted desire for co-operation." He voiced again his pride in Canada.

WINNIPEG ADDS TO POWER PLANT

WINNIPEG, Nov. 9.—Preliminary development of Slave Falls power site by the city hydro will be started this winter, a year in advance of schedule, owing to the increased demand for electrical power from the city-owned utility.

The site is on the Winnipeg River, ninety miles northeast of here, and five miles from the Pointe du Bois plant of the city hydro.

South Africa Checks Output of Diamonds

CAPETOWN, Nov. 9.—The Precious Stones Bill, which was referred by the South African Parliament before its adjournment yesterday to a joint sitting of the House of Assembly and the Senate, was adopted today by seventy-eight to sixty-eight. The object of the bill is to restrict the output of diamonds.

Street Car Conductor Thrown to Pavement

VANCOUVER, Nov. 9.—James W. Edwards, street car conductor, is in hospital with a possible fracture of the skull, as the result of an alleged altercation tonight with Albert Robinson, who is alleged to have thrown Edwards to the pavement. Robinson was charged with assault.

Silence on Railway

VANCOUVER, Nov. 9.—Announcement is made at the offices of the Canadian Pacific Railway that the two minutes' silence will as usual be observed on Friday next, Armistice Day, throughout all territories operated by the company. All work will thus cease from 11 o'clock in the morning until two minutes past that hour, in commemoration of the signing of the Armistice.

Man Stayed in Forest For Twenty-One Years

PORT ANGELES, Wash., Nov. 9.—Dr. A. Ladden, who forsook society in Tacoma twenty-one years ago and took a living from the Olympic Forest, died Monday night, just three months after he returned to civilization. Ladden spent the entire time in the forest, made his clothing, hats and shoes from deer skin and brewed tea from herbs. He was known as "the honey man" because he lived wild bees and sold their honey. He had planned a return to Seattle to spend the rest of his days in a steam-heated home. He had just sold his forest home when he became ill and died. He will be buried in Port Angeles.

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Gale at San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 9.—The
storm that has been hovering over
Northern and Central California for
the past few days, fired its parting
shot today in the form of gale-
lashed rains that gave these sec-
tions of the state their heaviest wet-
ting of the season, and handicapped
shipping along the California coast.

Persons in charge of livestock on
the roads at night are compelled
by a new law of Long Sutton, Eng-
land, to carry lights.

Hon. R. B. Bennett to

Leave for East Shortly

CALGARY, Nov. 9.—Hon. R. B.
Bennett, leader of the Liberal-Con-
servative party, is planning to leave
shortly for Ottawa and the East,
but when asked Wednesday evening
he said he could give no definite
date. "I don't expect to be able to
leave this week," he said. Asked if
there was anything to announce
about his future plans, he replied:
"Not a thing in the world. What I
am really trying to do is answer the
enormous mass of congratulatory
letters, telegrams and cablegrams.
There are more than 1,500 of them."

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Heinz Sweet Mixed Pickles, 1/2 lb. for	15c
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VICTORIANS
TAKE HONORS

TWO GOLD MEDALS CAPTURED
IN PHARMACEUTICAL EX-
AMINATIONS

List of Successful Candidates In-
cludes Many Students From
Vancouver Island

VANCOUVER, Nov. 9.—Results
and awards passed by the council
and board of examiners of the
Pharmaceutical Association of British
Columbia as the result of the
recent examinations show that
John Raymond Kinloch, of Victoria,
captured the gold medal given
by Thomas F. Henderson, to the
British Columbia student obtain-
ing the highest marks during the
year in the major examina-
tions. The gold medal donated by
J. A. Teepoortu under similar con-
ditions in the minor examinations
was also captured by a Victoria
student, John Edwin Smith carry-
ing away this honor.

Examination results include the
following from Victoria and Van-
couver Island:

Those passing the major exam-
ination and entitled to diploma as
licentiate of pharmacy: John Raymond
Kinloch, (Pernwood Pharmacy, Victoria), 474.

The following passed supplement-
ary major examinations and is
also entitled to diplomas as above:

Tence Clifford O'Neill (William
M. Ivel, Victoria).

The following failed in not more
than two subjects and are eligible
for supplementary examinations in
these subjects:

Hugh Crawford Anderson, Nana-
mo, materia medica.

Marjorie Ethel C. Siddall (Merry-
field & Dack, Victoria), materia
medica.

Charles William Burr (Hillside
Pharmacy, Victoria), botany.

Minor examinations:

Those passing the minor exam-
inations and qualifying as certified
clerks:

John Edwin Smith (Victoria),
420.

The following failed in not more
than two subjects and may write
supplementary examinations in the
subjects listed:

Malcolm Stewart (Cumberland),
materia medica and pharmacy.

MR. MURTON'S OPINION

It is estimated by Mr. W. Mur-
ton that the commercial timber
content of the San Juan valley
alone—including the valleys of
Harris Creek and Gordon River
both flowing into the San Juan
near its mouth, the Gordon River
stands being still virgin will carry
continuous logging and lumbering
operations for a period of twenty
five years; and that the income to
the province therefrom in royalties
and stumpage, conservatively es-
timated at \$2 per M. (at \$5 per M.
Ontario adventure the return aver-
aged \$20 per M.), will be \$51,200-
000, this being from holdings al-
ready under lease. Payroll dis-
bursements from the manufacture
on the ground are placed by the
same authority at \$400,000,000.

Other timber areas of equal,
if not greater importance await
development upon being made ac-
cessible by further extension of
the proposed road in each of the more
distant areas.

As to agriculture: According to
T. S. Gore & Co.'s report, the soil
in Township 10, San Juan valley,
with the exception of sections 6 and
7, "is a rich clay loam, eminently
suitable for agricultural utilization
and fairly drained by a number of
small creeks emptying into the San
Juan River. In sections 6 and 7 the
soil is sandy. The land is uniformly
level with the exception of a rocky
ridge extending through a part of
sections 8 and 9. The average
width of this township is about one
and three-quarter miles. In Town-
ship 11 (Gordon River Valley) the
quantity of agricultural land is
limited. With the exceptions of the
northeast quarters of sections 14
and 15, there is no more land of
any consequence. The soil is a
clay loam. The timber is prin-
cipally hemlock, with scattered
spruce and cedar. . . . Along the
northern boundary of section 36 the
soil is a clay loam. The remainder
of the surveyed land in these town-
ships is sandy. . . . In Township
14 the soil in sections 18 and 19 is
the north half of section 7 is a clay
loam; the remaining portion of the
land surveyed in this township is
sandy and gravelly. The bottom
land comes to an end in section 8.
The balance of the land is hilly.
We estimate the amount of
land suitable for settlement in the
San Juan valley to be about 4,500
acres, and in the Gordon River
valley about 800 acres."

TWO VALUABLE AREAS

Another and later land recon-
naissance produced a report that
there is an area of agricultural land
available between Jordan River and
Clo-ose, with provision of desired
road facilities of access, equal in
extent to the Clo-ose valley area,
the Saanich Peninsula, while back
of Clo-ose is a further tract of at
least equal extent and like suita-
bility.

With regard to fisheries: Swift-
sure Bank, near the mouth of the
San Juan, has long been the base
operations of an international
fleet of fishing craft, halibut chiefly
being taken. Cod of quality is ob-
tainable in immense quantity, but
thrown away by thousands as taken,
because of their inadaptability to

cost, save and except for necessary
bridging and trestling at the en-
trance to Nitinat Lagoon. From
Bamfield to Port Alberni a road
already exists that is capable of
economic reconstruction to serve
the necessities of a greater volume
of motor traffic.

The advantages claimed for the
coast-skirting route may thus be
assembled:

POINTS OF ADVANTAGES

It will make considerable areas
available for agricultural develop-
ment, the suitability of which for
settlement has been fully estab-
lished.

It will, by affording facilities of
access, permit of the development
of large milling and minor pulp
manufacturing enterprises in the
southern parts of Vancouver Island,
which will contribute largely to
provincial prosperity and provincial
revenue.

It will expedite the establishment
and profitable expansion of im-
portant fisheries interests, both at
Swiftsure Bank and at Nitinat
Lagoon.

It will stimulate mining opera-
tions and more extensive prospec-
ting in the mineralized zone in which
is the Sunloch Group, described by
John Edwin Smith as a repository
disclosed importance as a repository
of copper ore.

It will give Vancouver Island and
the coast of British Columbia a
second arterial avenue for the
attraction of tourists, perhaps sur-
passing in charm and appeal even
the Malahat Drive, by return by it
and providing therewith a great
circle of scenic allure that will
multiply threefold the duration of
stay during the summer months,
pleasure-seeking visitors, contribu-
tors to general business revenue and
advertisers, when they have gone,
will leave behind them a trail of
attractions and investment oppor-
tunities.

VALUABLE TIMBER

To refer first, more particularly,
to the possibilities of business pro-
motion in development of the forest
asset by the proposed extension:
Construction of the initial unit,
Jordan River to Port Renfrew, will
afford truck and tractor transporta-
tion facilities for manufactured
timber products, in default of which
the forest assets of southern
Vancouver Island are neglected,
save to a very limited extent for ex-
port in the log. Mr. T. S. Gore,
P.L.S., reports that at least 25,000 per-
cent as December 24, 1890, says of
the San Juan Valley that it is heav-
ily timbered with spruce and hem-
lock, the four averages five feet
in diameter and the latter two feet
"Considerable cedar is found," he
states, "on the mountain sides in
sections 8, 9, 10 and 11. There is con-
siderable Douglas fir that will aver-
age five feet in diameter."

The Sorenson interests, backed by
Mr. R. P. Burchard, of Victoria, have
for some time been operating in
this field under necessarily heavy
handicaps, their holdings being
chiefly in the Harris Creek valley,
where they have eighteen miles of
railway and an especially modern
and costly equipment. Lacking facil-
ities for movement of manufactured
product, the operations are inevi-
tably confined to the export of raw
forest materials, logs being boomed
or rafted to near United States
although the latter are not a
minor part of the cut is taken by
Mainland mills, and a small frac-
tion shipped as far even as Antic-
osti, in the St. Lawrence Gulf.

MR. MURTON'S OPINION

It is estimated by Mr. W. Mur-
ton that the commercial timber
content of the San Juan valley
alone—including the valleys of
Harris Creek and Gordon River
both flowing into the San Juan
near its mouth, the Gordon River
stands being still virgin will carry
continuous logging and lumbering
operations for a period of twenty
five years; and that the income to
the province therefrom in royalties
and stumpage, conservatively es-
timated at \$2 per M. (at \$5 per M.
Ontario adventure the return aver-
aged \$20 per M.), will be \$51,200-
000, this being from holdings al-
ready under lease. Payroll dis-
bursements from the manufacture
on the ground are placed by the
same authority at \$400,000,000.

Other timber areas of equal,
if not greater importance await
development upon being made ac-
cessible by further extension of
the proposed road in each of the more
distant areas.

As to agriculture: According to
T. S. Gore & Co.'s report, the soil
in Township 10, San Juan valley,
with the exception of sections 6 and
7, "is a rich clay loam, eminently
suitable for agricultural utilization
and fairly drained by a number of
small creeks emptying into the San
Juan River. In sections 6 and 7 the
soil is sandy. The land is uniformly
level with the exception of a rocky
ridge extending through a part of
sections 8 and 9. The average
width of this township is about one
and three-quarter miles. In Town-
ship 11 (Gordon River Valley) the
quantity of agricultural land is
limited. With the exceptions of the
northeast quarters of sections 14
and 15, there is no more land of
any consequence. The soil is a
clay loam. The timber is prin-
cipally hemlock, with scattered
spruce and cedar. . . . Along the
northern boundary of section 36 the
soil is a clay loam. The remainder
of the surveyed land in these town-
ships is sandy. . . . In Township
14 the soil in sections 18 and 19 is
the north half of section 7 is a clay
loam; the remaining portion of the
land surveyed in this township is
sandy and gravelly. The bottom
land comes to an end in section 8.
The balance of the land is hilly.
We estimate the amount of
land suitable for settlement in the
San Juan valley to be about 4,500
acres, and in the Gordon River
valley about 800 acres."

TWO VALUABLE AREAS

Another and later land recon-
naissance produced a report that
there is an area of agricultural land
available between Jordan River and
Clo-ose, with provision of desired
road facilities of access, equal in
extent to the Clo-ose valley area,
the Saanich Peninsula, while back
of Clo-ose is a further tract of at
least equal extent and like suita-
bility.

With regard to fisheries: Swift-
sure Bank, near the mouth of the
San Juan, has long been the base
operations of an international
fleet of fishing craft, halibut chiefly
being taken. Cod of quality is ob-
tainable in immense quantity, but
thrown away by thousands as taken,
because of their inadaptability to

ice packing, a limited present de-
mand for this grade of fish, but
principally lack of transportation
facilities. The discarded cod are
taken in proportion of five to one
of the saved halibut. Investiga-
tion during the war period as to
this waste resulted in a report
that from three to five miles
of water was found strewn with
dead cod, enough economically to
feed a considerable population.

Nitinat Lake, or lagoon, also
recognized as teeming with edible
crustaceans, life in oysters, clams,
crabs, mussels, etc.—in quantity
sufficient to maintain a number of
large packing plants operating with
a satisfactory margin of profit if
even trucking transportation were
made available.

As for mining, the zone of which
the Sunloch is the outstanding
property virtually a standard
partially owing to the condition of
the copper market, but primarily
and principally through lack of
communication facilities, with the
avenue at prevailing metal prices,
operations on a more extensive
scale could be satisfactorily pro-
ceeded.

TOURIST TRADE

With regard to tourist trade: Ex-
tension of the West Coast road
system as proposed would provide
British Columbia with a first class
skirting scenic drive of at least 25,000 per-
cent, a superlative charm, part of a won-
derland circuit completed when Port
Alberni is ultimately reached and
contact with the existing
Island Highway, for return by it
and the Malahat Drive to the
provincial capital.

From Bamfield, with its Pacific
cable station and its interesting
community life, motorcar ferry com-
munication is easily possible for
Long Beach, stretching for approx-
imately twenty miles toward Clay-
quot and admittedly equal to any
of the famed Florida speed beaches
for unencumbered sweep, while so
and smooth in its majestic
iron sand composition that the
hoofs of scampering deer make but
a faint impression on its pavement-
like surface.

Extension of road facilities even
to Port Renfrew would, it is es-
timated, enable profitable main-
tenance occupation to be provided for
a number of residents, agricul-
tural, and augment provincial
revenue by at least \$100,000,000
through expansion of lumbering and
pulp milling, fisheries, agricultural
and mining industries, leaving
wholly out of account the stimula-
tion of tourist trade and the pro-
vision of new recreational fields for
Vancouver Island residents. Con-
struction cost would not exceed
\$350,000.

VANCOUVER LIBERALS
HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

VANCOUVER, Nov. 9.—Archibald
Teetzel was elected head of the
City Liberal Association at its an-
nual meeting tonight.

Three names were placed in nom-
ination for the honor. J. Pitcairn
Hogg was nominated, but withdrew.
George M. Murray, president for the
past year and again a candidate,
later moved that the choice of Mr.
Teetzel be made unanimous. Keen
rivalry for the post had been evident
for some weeks and the preference
of the organization was in doubt
until the scrutineers brought in
their reports.

Mr. M. Phillips, secretary of
the city organization for the past six
years and of the Burrard Association
for three years, resigned his post
to accept a position with the Do-
minion income tax office.

Vice-presidents elected were J. P.
Hogg, Charles Borden, J. B. Hughes
and James Bell. Arthur B. Thomp-
son was elected secretary and R. H.
Baxter was re-elected treasurer.

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nobody can possibly tell it has
been applied. You just dampen a
sponge or soft brush with it and
draw this through your hair, taking
one small strand at a time. By
morning the gray hair disappears,
but what delights the ladies with
Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Com-
pound is that, besides beautifully
darkening the hair after a few ap-
lications, it also brings back the
gloss and lustre and gives it an ap-
pearance of abundance. (Adv.)

RUSSIAN PLAY
OBJECTED TO

FORMER KAISER AND RUSSIAN
EMIGRE OBJECT TO
PORTRAYALS

Emigre Not Disposed to Be Re-
presented on Stage as Profiteer
and German Spy

BERLIN, Nov. 9.—Two men with-
out a country, the former Kaiser and
a Russian emigre, have made com-
mon cause against the opening to-
morrow night of a play that is ex-
pected to be one of the season's the-
atrical sensations.

One of them, Dr. Dimitri Rubins-
tein, Russian capitalist refugee in
Paris, today won the first definite
victory in skirmishes against Erwin
Pischke, founder of the Commun-
ist Theatre, who plans to produce
Alexei Tolstoy's drama, "Rasputin."

Dr. Rubinstein was granted an in-
junction prohibiting his portrayal in
the play. The Russian argued that
his social and economic position in
France would be injured, as the play
depicted him as a profiteer and Ger-
man spy.

Two weeks ago the exile of Doorn
protested against being shown in the
same play. His attorney threatened
court action if the request were not
granted. Pischke, however, indicated
that he would ignore the for-
eigner's request. The nature of the
Kaisers' portrayal was not made
public.

WITNESS SAW
YOUTH STRUCK

Crown's Case in Bosch Murder Trial
Nearly Completed—Three More
Witnesses

NEW WESTMINSTER, Nov. 9.—
The Crown's case against George
Burgess and John McKenzie, charged
with the murder of Otto Bosch,
Dutch youth, who died from wounds
after being taken from a C.P.R.
freight train at Ruby Creek, July 23,
is drawing to a close in Assize Court.
But three more witnesses re-
main to be heard. Mr. Justice W.
A. Macdonald is presiding.

According to evidence given this
afternoon by Bernhard Rhebergen,
companion of Bosch, the two ac-
cused men suddenly attacked Bosch
and himself while all four were
riding on a platform of an open car.
According to witness, McKenzie at-
tacked witness with some kind of
weapon and shouted "Money, money,
money"; at the same time, witness
declared, he saw Burgess striking
his companion Bosch, and he
appeared to be demanding money.
Bosch was rendered unconscious.
Burgess left the car, but McKenzie
helped witness in his efforts to
revive Bosch, who later was
brought to hospital in Van-
couver.

GERMAN DUTY TO
HIT U.S. FIRMS

Upward Revision of Tariff on Auto-
mobile Parts May Close Branch
Houses

BERLIN, Nov. 9.—Impending
tariff legislation threatens to force
United States automobile manu-
facturers to close down their branches
in Germany. It was said today in
connection with a report that the
German Government is contemplating
a heavy upward revision of im-
port duties on automobile parts
shipped here for re-assembling.
Heretofore, automobile parts have
been subject to an average rate of
from two to twenty marks (the
mark is quoted at approximately
twenty-four cents) which is now
proposed to rise to 150 marks.

About five United States auto-
mobile firms employing 2,500 Germa-
n workmen will be affected if the new
duty is put into effect. Their an-
nual expenditure in Germany for
advertising, rent, taxes, etc., amounts
to about \$12,000,000. Two French
and one British firm also would be
affected.

Federal Legislation to
Strengthen Provincial
Liquor Laws Promised

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cluded the respective taxation do-
mains of the Dominion and the
provinces.

Economy must be practiced, de-
clared Mr. Robb, if Canada's repu-
tation were to be maintained. It
was the duty of the Federal Govern-
ment to give a lead to others in
matters of economy, and since 1923
the Dominion's debt had been re-
duced by one hundred and five mil-
lion dollars. On the other hand, the
debts of the provinces had been in-
creased.

Mr. Lapointe assured the confer-
ence that it was not the desire of
the Dominion Government to have
any "conflict" with respect to Fed-
eral provincial jurisdiction. The
Dominion, though, had duties to
perform, and must assert its powers.
There was nothing, declared the
Minister of Justice, in section 92 of
the British North America Act,
which deprived the Federal Govern-
ment of the right to tax in any
direction.

KING FEELS HAS
SUBMARINE TRIP

PORTSMOUTH, Eng., Nov. 9.—
King Feisal of Iraq, who has trav-
eled extensively on land and water
and in the air, today voyaged under
the sea for two hours.

As the guest of his official the
picturesque submarine entered the
British submarine L-22, which sub-
merged and cruised below the sur-
face.



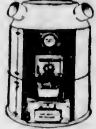
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MEXICO REMOVES CONSULAR OFFICE
VANCOUVER, Nov. 9.—Mexican consular offices in Vancouver will be closed and the work transferred to Claudio R. Davies, consul-general for Peru, according to an announcement made today by Lauro Izaguirre, Mexican consul for Western Canada, who has been ordered to open an office at Portland, Ore.

UNDERWRITERS HEAR PRESIDENT

Mr. John T. McCay, President of Life Underwriters Association of Canada, Speaks Here

VALUE OF INSURANCE TO PUBLIC WELFARE

There was a capacity audience of the Victoria representatives of life insurance companies to hear Mr. J. T. McCay, the Dominion president of the Underwriters' Association of Canada, who met last evening in the Chamber of Commerce under the chairmanship of Mr. J. R. B. More, local president of the Victoria Life Underwriters.

Mr. McCay is on a tour of the Dominion in the interests of the association of which he is president. Mr. McCay outlined to the members present, the activities of the association and urged them to continue their gifts of time, thought and labor to the association work they had undertaken of a legal and legislative nature for the general public good.

Mr. McCay gave a vivid presentation of his personal attitude to the business of life insurance. He asserted that life insurance is, in the business world, the last and best expression of the principle of brotherhood, and mutual help and protection.

SPENDTHRIFT WEAKNESS
"The general public," said Mr. McCay, "should understand that the insurance business is preaching in every home the gospel of thrift, time and money. This present generation needs mostly the habit of thrift. There are so many diversions and attractions that it is hard to save today."

"We are tackling this present-day spendthrift weakness and the problem of individual thrift with an efficiency with which no other institution competes and with results which justify our operations and encourage us to 'carry on'."

"The young man carrying life insurance accumulated by his own personal thrift has endowed himself with character and credit which is reflected in the esteem of his commercial and social connections. It cannot be doubted—he is a better man for it. Life insurance is the foe of social irresponsibility, our greatest menace today."

"We have made our business to fight for the stability of the home, to provide for security of savings, for the establishment of good social reputes and for the cementing of stable, commercial credit. We constantly challenge, in season and out, that all people should recognize, admit and safeguard their responsibilities in the family, in the community, in the field of business and to the state."

VALUE TO COMMUNITY
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VETERANS OF FRANCE
The monthly meeting of the Veterans of France will be held in the clubrooms tonight at 8:30 o'clock, preceded by a meeting of the executive at 7:30 o'clock.

LOCAL SKATERS IN COMPETITION
Worth While Prizes to Be Awarded at Rotary Ice Carnival on November 19
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The prize list includes many items of substantial value, the appropriation allowed the contest committee for awards having been substantially increased by many handsome contributions received from the leading merchants of the city.

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ENGLAND STILL "CARRYING ON"
MR. T. J. GREENWAY, JUST RETURNED, IMPRESSED WITH COUNTRY'S PROSPERITY
Visitor's Impression of France That It Is Prosperous and Better Built Than Before War
That England was rapidly recovering from all after-effects of the war, and that in spite of the great unemployment question, and the fact that there is not apparent as much of squalor and poverty and slum conditions as before 1914, is the impression left on the mind of Mr. T. J. Greenway, of Montreal, Avenue, who has just returned to the city after a three months' visit to the Old Land. Mr. Greenway went to England primarily to visit his brother, Lord Charles Greenway, president of the Anglo-Persian Oil Company, with whom he stayed for some time at "Stanbridge Park," his country home near the New Forest in Hampshire. He also, however, spent some time in London and other parts of England, and subsequently crossed with his brother to Paris, which they used as a starting point for a tour of the Rhodan and Aras portions of the country occupied by the British during the Great War.

"My general impression of France was that it is very prosperous. There seemed to be practically no unemployment. In the war area there are now very few traces of war, with the exception of remains of some trenches and there is evidence on all sides of widespread reconstruction," said Mr. Greenway, speaking to The Colonist of this part of his travels. Reconstruction there seemed to be proceeding rapidly; old buildings, old dwellings, are being replaced wholesale by new buildings, which are more sanitary and better looking, to his mind than the type of houses occupied by

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Attending Interprovincial Conference



At the upper left is Premier John Bracken, of Manitoba, and at the lower left, Premier A. C. Saunders, of Prince Edward Island, attending the interprovincial conference in Ottawa. At the right is Premier E. L. Rhodes, of Nova Scotia, also a delegate, with Mrs. Rhodes and their daughter, Miss Sybil Rhodes, photographed in Ottawa.

the people in the same areas in pre-war days. It was in 1917 that Mr. Greenway last visited England, and he found that many improvements and changes had taken place in London in the intervening ten years.

Princess Mary Is Guest When Fire Breaks Out
WAKEFIELD, Eng., Nov. 9.—A timely warning given by Princess Mary was the means of insuring the safety of a number of persons who, with herself and Viscount Lascelles, her husband, were caught in an early morning fire in Bretton Hall, where Lord and Lady Allendale were entertaining a house party.

The Princess warned the other guests that it was dangerous to remain in the room in which they had gathered after the fire was discovered. The party took her advice, and shortly after the ceiling of the room fell in. The men guests, including Viscount Lascelles, assisted workmen of the household staff in fighting the flames, which were confined to one wing of the building.

COURT OF APPEAL REPORT IS DENIED
VANCOUVER, Nov. 9.—An Ottawa special to The Province says: "No such matter has been brought to my attention in any form," was the comment of Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, today, on the report that some shakeup among the judiciary of British Columbia, following disagreement, is in prospect.

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That England was rapidly recovering from all after-effects of the war, and that in spite of the great unemployment question, and the fact that there is not apparent as much of squalor and poverty and slum conditions as before 1914, is the impression left on the mind of Mr. T. J. Greenway, of Montreal, Avenue, who has just returned to the city after a three months' visit to the Old Land. Mr. Greenway went to England primarily to visit his brother, Lord Charles Greenway, president of the Anglo-Persian Oil Company, with whom he stayed for some time at "Stanbridge Park," his country home near the New Forest in Hampshire. He also, however, spent some time in London and other parts of England, and subsequently crossed with his brother to Paris, which they used as a starting point for a tour of the Rhodan and Aras portions of the country occupied by the British during the Great War.

"My general impression of France was that it is very prosperous. There seemed to be practically no unemployment. In the war area there are now very few traces of war, with the exception of remains of some trenches and there is evidence on all sides of widespread reconstruction," said Mr. Greenway, speaking to The Colonist of this part of his travels. Reconstruction there seemed to be proceeding rapidly; old buildings, old dwellings, are being replaced wholesale by new buildings, which are more sanitary and better looking, to his mind than the type of houses occupied by

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GAME ON VANCOUVER ISLAND

Some years ago, quite a number in fact, when the Game Act came before the Legislature for consideration the members treated the subject so lightly as to ask for permission to smoke during the discussion. In those years Vancouver Island and the province generally were teeming with game of many varieties. The killing was as indiscriminate as unlimited. The seasons, open or closed, obtained little difference in observance. "Sportmen" had themselves photographed with more birds and deer than would fill a wagon and such pictorial representations were labelled as "A Day's Outing." Men who knew the history of Maine, Massachusetts and Vermont shook their heads at such slaughter and prophesied that a day would come when the blue grouse on Mount Tmolus would be unknown. Such prophesies were derided, but the day has arrived, and the blue grouse, as well as the willow, has virtually disappeared within thirty miles of Victoria. Further up the Island it has, in places, become practically extinct. Deer still remain plentiful, in spots. They are wandering animals and protect themselves in a measure by migration. When deer are reported as on the increase it will be found that the increase is noted only in certain districts—districts which next year may be vacant. It is true that the protection of the female has done some good, but only at the expense of the male.

The instinct of the grouse is of the home-loving kind. It lives where it is hatched, travels very little, and, like the salmon, returns to its birthplace to breed. Hence the ease of extermination. It would seem that the time has arrived for something to be done to restore this native gamebird and also the mountain quail which used to be so abundant on Vancouver Island. The time is now, before it is too late. It cost the States of Maine, Vermont and Massachusetts a good many millions of dollars to rehabilitate their game. Vancouver Island and the province in the same way has been the case on Vancouver Island. The Governments of those States, however, heroically applied the remedy and today their game resources are bringing in very substantial revenues.

It would not be one iota too drastic a procedure to close all hunting on Vancouver Island for a period of two years and then permit it in named districts in alternate years for a very limited period. During the closed years some expenditure could be devoted to restocking on a rational basis. No doubt there would be strenuous objections from some quarters to any such step as a total closing down on game for a couple of years, but that protest would not come from those who have game preservation at heart and who have regretfully observed the sure approach of extermination because of the slaughter which has gone on in the past. In connection with any closure period it would be desirable to establish well-selected sanctuaries at different places, preferably surrounding the main lakes of the Island, thus providing not only breeding and natural distributing areas but sources of interest and enjoyment for strangers as well as for citizens of the Island.

Sane and far-seeing sportsmen and fishermen of Vancouver Island have for years preached sanctuary and conservation. Like missionaries of many types they have been maligned and misunderstood. Now, however, their predictions are rapidly becoming verified. Matters have arrived at a stage when any further inertia means extinction of certain types of game, and if nothing is done until the game has disappeared, there will be tremendous cost in restoration, during which time there must be, perforce, a close season of a number of years.

THE SCOTTISH MENTALITY

It has been asserted that most people living North of the Tweed hold it as an article of their faith that almost any Scotman is superior to every Englishman whatsoever in intellect, morals and spirituality. There is some difference of opinion as to the origin of this comfortable doctrine. It has often been proclaimed and sometimes goes unchallenged; but Donald Carswell, himself a Scot, has had the iron courage to write a book now offered for sale by the famous Constable publishing house, in which he sets about the task of destroying this doctrine and dispelling it into thin air as a mere idle superstition.

In Mr. Carswell's opinion the modern Scot, derived very largely from the dark pre-Celtic race, is commonly wanting in imagination and insight, and his "lack of moral perspective" is due to the long period of poverty and social disorder which preceded the Union of 1707. It is enough to take one's breath away, but the iconoclastic Carswell affirms that the Scot is devoid of real religion and satisfies himself with mere observances, of which the cult of the Sabbath is the most prominent. Moreover, his capacity for co-operative action is defective by reason of a rude individualism, a lawless spirit of faction; a feature exemplified in the notorious secessions and disruptions of his National Church in past time as well as in the politics of the volatile population of the Clyde Valley today.

"This is not all. The celebrated Scottish shrewdness is simply a myth, the Aberdonian alone possessing this quality in any marked degree, and the Aberdonian psychology in this as in other respects is by far the most 'English' in Scotland. It appears also that, according to Mr. Carswell's analysis, the equally well-advertised 'Scottish caution' is only a cloak for self distrust and that real composure is seldom found in the Scot."

The London Spectator, with fine delicacy, describes Mr. Carswell's statements as provocative. The book consists of a series of pictures of outstanding Scots whom he takes to be representative of the national character. There is Lord Overton, who left \$63,000 to churches and charities, the money having been extracted from workmen paid at the rate of fourpence per hour on a twelve-hour day. There is Robertson Smith, who was expelled from his professional chair because he doubted the historicity of Deuteronomy. There is Henry Drummond, the evangelical apostle who never made a disciple. There is Robertson Nichol, "one of the three greatest journalists of the nineteenth century," who remarked

that no educated man could stand the Disraelis, and yet founded The British Weekly, he is described as a hard-bitten Aberdonian with a multitude of interests and no enthusiasm. There is Keir Hardie, "a bumptious, woolly-witted Scotch collier," who started the Independent Labor Party; and finally Blackie, the national genius, made flesh, and described as "boisterous, bombastic, theatrical, affectionate and generous."

There are hard sayings and all the harder because they are uttered by one of the household of faith. The Spectator remarks that the perfridum ingenium Scotum is likely to let Mr. Carswell hear with some plainness about his daring book. It is not necessary, however, to take Mr. Carswell seriously. There is a fatal defect in his method. One might easily bring a similar indictment against any nation. It is not difficult to single out a few individuals, emphasizing the less attractive sides of their characters, and declare that they are fully representative of the whole people.

PARADOX OF CIVILIZATION

At a time when, more and more, the medical profession is advertising fresh air as the panacea or, perhaps, we should say the preventive, of many earthly ills, the motor car manufacturers are making their vehicles more and more weather-proof. The tendency of motoring nowadays is to give the impression that one is traveling in a closed room in which even the ventilation is often insufficient. Much time and energy and inventiveness are being expended on permanently sooting and weather-proofing motor cars, thus leaving less and less fresh air for the occupants. With all the "improvement" that is being effected, motoring is rapidly becoming more and more a matter of being shut out from fresh air. The sunbath is being excluded. This tendency becomes emphasized in proportion to the doctor's warning to seek fresh air if health would be encouraged. The industry which works in the interests of pleasure and other forms of transportation is at cross purposes with medical science. The former proceeds on the principle of abjuring fresh air at all costs; the latter urges that it should be sought under all conditions of life. The paradoxes of advancing civilization surely deserve some introspection as to the logic of our mentality.

The Chicago Tribune in pointing out that beauty costs the women of the United States \$1,825,000,000 a year, compares this expenditure with the outlay of \$680,537,642, on national defence. "Face powder," it says, "is an easy winner over gunpowder in the American scheme of life. If looks could kill we should be the best prepared nation on earth."

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m. November 9, 1927.

	TEMPERATURES		Snow	Rain	Min.	Max.
	°F.	°C.				
Victoria	48	9	0	0	36	48
Vancouver	48	9	0	0	34	46
Kamloops	48	9	0	0	30	34
Barkerville	48	9	0	0	20	24
Estevan	48	9	0	0	32	46
Prince Rupert	48	9	0	0	24	42
Atlin	48	9	0	0	2	18
Dawson	48	9	0	0	16	30
Seattle	48	9	0	0	40	46
Portland	48	9	0	0	40	48
San Francisco	48	9	0	0	56	66
Spokane	48	9	0	0	18	32
Penticton	48	9	0	0	27	44
Vernon	48	9	0	0	28	40
Grand Forks	48	9	0	0	30	45
Nelson	48	9	0	0	29	39
Granby	48	9	0	0	15	32
Calgary	48	9	0	0	10	20
Edmonton	48	9	0	0	12	20
Swift Current	48	9	0	0	4	16
Prince Albert	48	9	0	0	20	26
Qu'Appelle	48	9	0	0	16	24
Winnipeg	48	9	0	0	40	24

FORECASTS
 Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; partly cloudy, and cold at night.
 Vancouver and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; partly cloudy, and cold at night.

WEDNESDAY
 Maximum 48
 Minimum 36
 Average 42
 Minimum on the grass 30
 Bright sunshine 48 minutes
 General state of the weather, fair.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS
 Victoria—Barometer, 29.86; wind, N. 4 miles; fair.
 Vancouver—Barometer, 29.82; wind, W. 4 miles; clear.
 Kamloops—Barometer, 29.84; wind, W. 4 miles; fair.
 Barkerville—Barometer, 29.80; calm; cloudy.
 Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.96; wind, N.W. 4 miles; clear.
 Estevan—Barometer, 29.84; wind, N.W. 12 miles; fair.
 Taseeh—Barometer, 29.86; wind, W. 4 miles; clear.
 Portland—Barometer, 29.86; wind, N.W. 4 miles; cloudy.
 Seattle—Barometer, 29.84; wind, E. 4 miles; cloudy.
 San Francisco—Barometer, 29.78; wind, S. 16 miles; raining.

Words of Wisdom

There is no action so slight nor so mean but it may be done to a great purpose, and ennobled therefor.—John Ruskin.

The individual is foolish; the multitude, for the most part, is foolish; the whole world, without deliberation, but the species is wise, and when time is given to it, as a species it always acts right.—Edmund Burke.

Be to everybody kind and friendly.—Marcus Aurelius.

There is nothing strictly immortal, but immortality, whatever it may be, beginning may be confident of no end.—Sir Thomas Browne.

THE ARBUTUS TREE

(Dedicated to the Hon. Walter Cameron Nichol)

God, when He made thee, beautiful tree,
 Exhausted Nature's alchemy.
 The rarest elements He sought,
 And in His crucible He wrought
 The miracle that gave the birth,
 And brought thee pristine from the earth,
 In shining loveliness to be
 The darling woods' embroidery.

Thy limbs are polished pillars
 Of bronze or ivory with innabar,
 Or dim within the temple green,
 Of burnished gold or tangerine.
 Thy plumes blossom, honey-sweet,
 Driest in high midsummer heat,
 Ambrosial perfume, and the bees
 Forget their toil in lotus ease,
 Finding some precious anodyne
 In thy rich nectar's potent wine.

But most I love thee, when at last,
 The pome of summer overpast,
 Thou holdst aloft a plenteous
 Of fruitage soft-vermilion hue,
 Like hanging lamps to light the bier
 Of Autumn desolate and bare.

O tree! that midst the changing scene
 Ever comely and serene,
 Beloved, protected of the gods
 Through parching heat or wintry odds,
 I love thee passing well, O tree,
 Whose benediction covers me!

—John Hoole.
 Victoria, B.C.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

Have you ever stood on the platform of a unimportant country railway station and watched a fast express train rush by? That is a very interesting, even a very exciting, thing to do when you are very young, your imagination is very active, and you have nothing else to do—and when the station master has hold of your coat-tail to prevent you from being swept away by the force of the artificial air current generated by the rushing, roaring monster. We have often done that and marvelled at the rapidity with which the train became a mere speck in the distance or a red light in the gloom.

Going home a few evenings ago we saw something that reminded us of the days when we used to go to a wayside railway station and watch the express trains roar by. Passing our Street, we approached Brook Street, and just as we neared the crossing something shot past at a speed of at least fifty miles an hour, for we are sure it reached the end of the street before we could have counted ten or said Jack Robinson. If the "half wit" at the wheel of that speeding car had run over and killed a human being he would have been guilty of murder in fact if not in intent, and anyone in dealing with him as they would deal with a mad dog; but the law would have looked at him with a kindly eye, suggested that the slaughtered party was either not sufficiently mobile or not as agile as it might have been, and declared the murder was merely an accident.

Such are the sights that may be seen on the streets of cities and on the highways of the country almost every day. We see them every day on the streets leading to Foul Bay. We see them because it has been declared that the wheels of commerce must be "speeded up," and if people who are not as mobile as they might be or not as agile as they may have been, get in the way of speeded up business, accidents will happen. We see accidents at the intersections of streets because business men (most of them with little business to do) at the wheels of cars cannot afford to ease up in their speed and look around to see if some other business man has equal important business on his hands or in his mind is not driving his car at a high rate of speed along the street they are going to cross. Thus accidents happen, and the accidents happen because they are accidental and in the natural course of modern human events must happen—not because anyone has been driving at an excessive rate of speed, for everyone can prove that he has been driving well within the lawful speed limits. The "half wit" at the wheel cannot be expected to harbor more than one idea in his head at a time. He has fixed the legal speed limit in his mind, and that limit applies to all conditions and all circumstances—to narrow and tortuous roads and to streets with numerous intersections. He rushes around abrupt corners and into traffic-congested thoroughfares at the legal speed limit, and if accidents happen he is exonerated from blame under the law.

All this is the consequence of increasing the speed limit to adapt the motor car to the conditions of modern business. But we observe that the constituted authorities everywhere are beginning to note that consequence and to ask what shall be done about it. They are all agreed that something drastic must be done about it, for the accidental death rate in some places is beginning to be greater than the natural increase of the population.

The constituted authorities may be depended upon to do anything but the right thing. Instead of making a simple law, they will add a number of new regulations and prohibitions to the existing law (which the "half wit" at the wheel) will pay no attention to because they would not understand them if they paid attention to them, and the "accidental" mortality rate will continue to increase and the constituted authorities will continue to say something must be done about it.

We notice that our observant friend "Diogenes" of The Vancouver Province, has been directing attention to another phase of the motor car problem. "Diogenes" points out that in the days when horses were almost as common as motor cars are today no one ever thought of parking his horse and his buggy on the public streets or of making use of public property as the terminus of numerous bus lines. Today the traffic-carrying capacity of many streets is reduced by one-third or one-half as a result of appropriation of public property by private individuals or companies for the accommodation of their motor cars. Victoria is not a large city compared with many other cities, but car parking is creating a congestion of traffic in some of our streets and a problem that the constituted authorities will be forced to consider and try to solve some day in the immediate future. For our population is increasing and motor cars are adding to their numbers at a faster rate

than the population. All the foregoing is merely preaching, of course, and we expect the result will be a further demonstration of the foolishness of preaching.

Letters to Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted unless the proper name and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

PAPER FROM STRAW

Sir—Re notice in The Colonist of the 10th inst. headed "Fine Paper Made of Cotton Rags," you quote in conclusion, "Paper from straw is now in the experimental stage." Allow me to state that I spent the years 1883-88 around Cedar Falls, Iowa, U. S. A. During Winter I bought straw and sold it to the paper mill. The price was eight dollars per ton delivered. Many times I have helped in feeding the chaff-cutters. There were some twenty of them in a room occupying the whole upper story of the building. The straw used was wheat, oats and flax. The finished product was white, smooth and glossy.

Bank, schoolhouse and paper mill generally forms the nucleus around which the small prairie towns in the middle states are built.

B. BEKKER.
 278 Maddock Avenue, Victoria, B. C., November 8, 1927.

THE TARIFF ISSUE

Sir—With your permission I would like to reply to Mr. Tisdale's letter on the above subject. Mr. Tisdale's principal grievance seems to be that the Canadian manufacturer is making more out of the public than the farmer. My letter had nothing to do with the division of the spoils. This question, the Protectionist brethren must fight out for themselves. My letter concerned only the interests of the people with small incomes. These people comprise the great majority of our population.

Mr. Tisdale accuses me of being an interested party. Of course I am. Every decent man should be interested enough in his country to fight for a square deal for all. He says next that I "confuse" the issue. I fear he is a little mixed himself when he tries to convey the idea that only the women wear underclothing. I know the Canadian hardly race, but surely Mr. Tisdale, you will admit that the men wear at least "a little undergarment." As regards the delicate question of the proportion of salaries paid to men and women, I must confess ignorance; being a single man I have no information.

From the tone of Mr. Tisdale's letter I take it that he is a farmer and owns a motor car, hence his criticism about spoon-feeding manufacturers of motor cars. A government, in fact, must have in mind the welfare of the whole Dominion. These are facts, not "apparent truths."

Mr. Chappeil, in his excellent letter on the tariff, has exposed the fallacy of protection.

In conclusion I am sorry Mr. Tisdale has not seen fit to put up a decent argument in favor of his own policy. I repeat what I said in my last letter, viz., that all tariff charges on any commodity are paid for by the user of the commodity.

F. G. BOURNE.
 Glenis Hotel, Victoria, B. C., November 8, 1927.

PROHIBITION IN U.S.A.

Sir—There frequently appears in the daily press an innumerable amount of an assertion that prohibition is a failure in the United States. As far as the control of liquor traffic is concerned, there is no need to pay attention to mere statements as to failure or success, nor to the assertions sometimes made that liquor can be obtained anywhere. That statement is made also for British Columbia, and it is not true in either case, neither is it true to say there is no liquor obtainable in the country where prohibition is in force. None of these statements has anything to do with the question as to whether the system is a success or a failure.

The proper way to settle such a question is to determine what is meant by success, and to my mind that matter is determined only by the financial, economic and industrial prosperity, by the improvement in social and family life, by the reduction of crime and the lessening of the suffering of the nation. The United States is, perhaps, the most prosperous nation in the world today, and it might be worth consideration as to how far prohibition is a contributing factor to such prosperity. May I, therefore, offer to your readers a few facts for consideration on the question. "Is prohibition a failure in the United States?" and while I believe it is the best method we have discovered as yet for dealing with the traffic in strong drink, I am in no way seeking to pass any judgment of mine upon those of intelligent and sound mind who would propose some better system.

But, is it? When \$6,000,000,000 is added annually to national wealth under prohibition? When savings bank deposits increase in such numbers under prohibition? In 1913, eleven million, such deposits; in 1920, twenty million; in 1925, forty-three million; in 1926, thirty-five million. Labor Banks have 111 millions on deposit. When the amounts deposited increase so tremendously under prohibition? In 1920, four hundred billion dollars; in 1925, twenty-three billion dollars? When life insurance increased from sixteen billion dollars in 1913 to thirty-five billion dollars in 1920 and to seventy-two billion dollars in 1925, showing a thrift and prosperity in

large measure due to prohibition? Roger Bacon, one of America's greatest economists, declares that the increased purchasing power of the people of the United States is largely due to prohibition. He says at least a billion dollars, formerly spent in saloons for the benefit of the brewers, now go into increased comfort and expansion of trade every year.

Prohibition has greatly increased the industrial output. Men, before prohibition, would dribble back to work four or five days after a public holiday. Now they return next morning ready for work.

The president of the Illinois Steel Company says, "Our employees report for work more regularly, efficiency has increased, accidents are decreasing and the economic conditions of employees' families have greatly improved."

Prohibition is a failure when banks and business blocks stand on the corners of American cities where once stood saloons, where real estate in that neighborhood has greatly increased because the saloons are gone, where men who squandered their weekly wages in those saloons are depositing their money in savings banks when tremendous reductions are noticed in the numbers in jails, hospitals and asylums.

Today millions formerly spent in saloons, resulting in drunkenness, crime and poverty, are now used to buy homes, motor cars, insurance, travel and education.

Let British Columbia stop her wasteful waste of money in the liquor business, which results in no national good, but enriches the brewer, distiller and bootlegger, while the country pays for the crime, poverty and debauchery such a system of living drags in its train.

If British Columbia is ever to prosper, let B. C. take a lesson from the most prosperous nation in the world and become a sober, dry and industrious people.

W. J. SIPPRELL.
 Metropolitan United Church, corner of Quadra Street and Pandora Avenue, Victoria, B. C., November 8, 1927.

SCIENCE AND FISHERIES

Sir—A School of Fisheries, the first of its kind on this continent, has been established by Dalhousie University, Halifax, "hereby setting an example which, it seems to me, might well be followed by the University of British Columbia. Up to the present time complex fisheries problems have been studied at stations at St. Andrews, N.B., and at Nanaimo by the Biological Board of Canada, and by specialists interested in the various Canadian universities.

The scope and intent of the new school at Dalhousie were explained recently in an address delivered by Professor J. R. Gowanlock before the Rotary Club of Halifax. Already the school has done work of practical value. In an editorial on the subject, The Toronto Mail and Empire points out that "One of the students is engaged on a study of scallops and the services of the Federal authorities have ordered the Digby scallop fishing to begin a month earlier. Another is doing work on the shrimp and other timber-boring animals, and eleven of them are making a complete survey of the marine life of the region of Halifax, which, when completed, will furnish information essential for the School of Fisheries, and also stand as a model of Western Atlantic conditions that will be of interest to marine zoologists in other countries."

These practical results were mentioned by Professor Gowanlock to show that Dalhousie is bending its energies to the principles upon which the fishing industry must stand. The life of the sea is marvellous, and the annual harvest huge, amounting to over \$800,000,000. Of this Canada's share in 1925 amounted to \$47,942,131, although the banner year was 1918, when the value was over \$60,000,000. Professor Gowanlock urged that the fishing industry must command the services of trained scientists to solve its problems or it would go down."

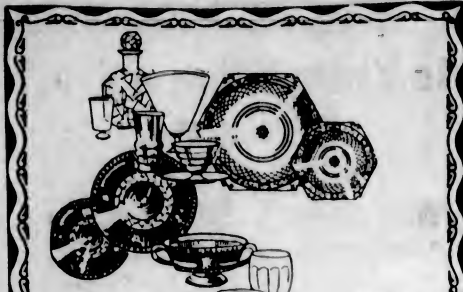
British Columbia, no less than the Maritime Provinces, requires the services of trained specialists to solve her fishery problems, and the University of British Columbia might enlarge its field of usefulness and activity with benefit to the province by following the lead of the sister institution in Nova Scotia.

W. H. BUNTING.
 626 Vancouver Street, Victoria, B. C., November 8, 1927.

GAME PROTECTION

Sir—The Provincial Game Board is to be congratulated on its energetic and successful introduction of various species of our larger game animals into parts of the province where they had been hitherto unknown. The liberation of elk into the Okanagan district should prove a success, whilst it is pleasing to hear that the small herd of mountain goats which were placed in the Cowichan hills are increasing in number. I always thought that the herd would have a hard time to survive in that locality on account of the number of eagles which would be so likely to destroy the kids. The cougars, which are prevalent in that district, would be a menace to the goats, as the late Colonel Roosevelt mentions in one of his books "that the cougars were preying on the mountain goats near the Columbia River at a very high altitude."

Although the climate of Vancouver Island is ideal for mountain goat, I very much doubt that it will be for mountain sheep, a herd of which it is proposed to introduce in the vicinity of Strathcona Park. The mountain sheep requires a much drier climate than the goat, and is almost invariably found where there are limestone deposits. Whilst



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MR. LLOYD GEORGE TO VISIT BRAZIL

LONDON, Nov. 9. — Former Premier Lloyd George and family will spend Christmas on the ocean, en route to Rio de Janeiro, says The Westminster Gazette. They will sail for South America, December 21, and will stay at Rio de Janeiro for four or five days.

The party will include Dame Margaret, their daughter Megan, their sons, Major Richard Lloyd George and Major Gwilym Lloyd George and their grandchildren.

J. LOWTHER.
 P.O. Box 1188, Victoria, B.C., November 8, 1927.



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Charred Bones Found

OSHAWA, Ont., Nov. 9.—The discovery of charred bones in the wreckage of the Biltmore Cafe has raised the possibility that a life was lost when the Alger Block was destroyed by fire last week. The provincial fire marshal is investigating the occurrence. S. F. Kenney, proprietor of the cafe, is held by the police on a charge of arson.

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Harvey-Boggs Chapter, I.O.D.E.

The Valentine Harvey-Boggs Chapter, I.O.D.E., met on Tuesday evening, the regent presiding. A standing vote of sympathy was passed to Miss A. B. Cooke, in commemoration of Armistice, the I.O.D.E. calendars are being sent to the University School, Onda Hill and Victoria West Schools. Mrs. A. F. Beasley and her committee were given a standing vote of thanks for the successful card party on October 26, and to Mrs. Brake for the silver tea held at her home. The chapter has now completed its quota to the War Memorial. A home cooking stall will be held in the near future, the time and place to be announced later.

Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter

At the meeting of the Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I.O.D.E., held on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. E. M. Poot, Dewdney Avenue, a new member, Mrs. Hetherington, was welcomed, and Mrs. J. E. Hudson proposed. The resignation of Mrs. M. W. Thomas as educational secretary was received with regret, and Mrs. J. Jordan was elected to take her place. The chapter will not hold a bazaar this year, but plans were made for a sale of home cooking and candy to be held on Saturday, December 3. Mrs. Poot, convener of the home cooking, and Miss E. Johnson of the candy. An anonymous gift of \$10 was received for

the milk fund, bringing the total tag day proceeds to \$708.37.

W.B.A. No. 1

Victoria Review held its regular meeting on Tuesday evening with Mrs. Harrison presiding. A card party and dance will be held on November 22 at 8 p.m. Good prizes will be given. The Review meeting will open at 7:15 p.m. on November 22. Members are asked to bring their donations for the sale of work to the next meeting, as there will be attractive stalls displaying fancy-work, plain sewing, handkerchiefs, candy and home cooking. Articles will not be priced at more than one dollar.

Thanksgiving Dinner

Forty inmates of the Aged and Infirm Women's Home sat down to a delightfully arranged Thanksgiving dinner on Monday at the Home. Ten members of the committee assisting with serving. The chickens were raised on the Home property, and the dinner, with its seasonable delicacies, was greatly enjoyed by the ladies.

Meeting Today

The Women's Educational Auxiliary of the United Church will hold its monthly meeting here today at 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. M. K. Moore, 830 St. Charles Street. Rev. J. T. Bompas, B.A., will speak on "Political Developments in China." An invitation is extended to all interested. A musical programme and refreshments will be provided.

Metehosin W. A. Sale

The Metehosin Junior W. A. is holding a silver tea and sale of work on Friday afternoon at St. Mary's Vicarage at 4 o'clock. Gifts for the Senior W. A. home cooking stall, in David Spencer's

basement on Saturday next, should be left at the store or vicarage on Friday afternoon.

Supper Meeting Held

The monthly supper meeting of the Young Women's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church was held on Tuesday evening in the primary room of the church. The president, Miss Winnie Beckwith, presided. There were fifteen members present. Miss Snyder gave an interesting address on social service work.

Bazaar Today

The annual bazaar of Miriam Temple, No. 2, Daughters of the Nile, will be held today at Gordon's Drygoods Store, on Yates Street. There are fancywork and plain sewing tables, home cooking and lovely refreshments. Afternoon tea will be served by the ladies.

Kitchen Cabinet Concert

Under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild, a concert will be given by St. Saviour's Kitchen Cabinet Band, with an entirely new programme, in St. Alban's Church Hall, Ryan and Belmont Streets, at 8 p.m. on Friday.

Island Women Are Active in all Institute Plans

METCHOSIN

In connection with the Pioneer Reunion, to be held in the Metehosin Hall on November 25, efforts are being made to secure two copies of the Metehosin Review, one for each of the women of the district, who settled in the district in the fifties or sixties, one copy to be kept among the archives in the framing of these pictures, and the other to be kept in the hall. The Women's Institute hope to be able to give a sum to assist in the framing of these pictures, and the secretary, Mrs. McVicker, will be glad to receive any information regarding old photographs.

ESQUIMALT

The monthly meeting of the Esquimalt Women's Institute was held on Tuesday evening in the St. Paul's Parish Hall, Mrs. A. Booth presiding, who was welcomed back after her recent illness. The treasurer's report showed a good financial standing. Letters were read from Mrs. Cecil Tice, concerning the Provincial Winter Fair, and from Mrs. J. D. Gordon, secretary of the district board, on the conference. Mrs. Booth reported on the last child hygiene meeting and reminded the members of the silver tea and home cooking sale to be held Thursday afternoon, December 1, also the card party on Thursday, November 17, both events to take place in St. Paul's Parish Hall. Mrs. Cane, ways and means convener, gave a report on the card party, which was held in the parish hall, Mrs. Cane also announced that the T. B. Auxiliary will hold a sale of work and card party on Friday afternoon, November 18, at 1230 Government Street. The location of a football ground and playing field for the older children of the district arose, after which the secretary was instructed to write to the Board of Trade, asking them to meet a delegation from the Institute to see what could be done in this matter. Mrs. Rogers, in the absence of the charter members, who is here on a visit from Los Angeles, spoke to the members on agriculture and life in California. Mrs. Booth gave a short address on institution work and method. Mesdames Lock, Stewart, Wallace, Nichol and Ockender were hostesses.

LUXTON

A very successful card party was held on Saturday evening under the auspices of the Luxton Women's Institute at the home of the president, Mrs. Brown. The winners in the wheel drive were: Ladies' prize, Mrs. McKenzie; gentlemen's, Mr. Bedford; ladies' consolation, Mrs. Clarke; gentlemen's, Mr. Taylor. The rest of the evening was spent in games, recitations and a supper. The masquerade dance, arranged by the Women's Institute for Friday evening next, has been postponed till December, owing to there being another dance in the district on that evening.

SOUTH SAANICH

The annual chicken dinner and dance held by the South Saanich Women's Institute in Temperance Hall on Monday evening proved to be an outstanding success in every way, when about a hundred and fifty were present, many coming from Victoria, Metehosin and other neighboring districts. The well-laden tables were prettily decorated with pink chrysanthemums and beautifully colored autumn leaves. After justice had been done to the numerous delicacies the guests adjourned to the dining hall, where dancing was enjoyed for the remainder of the evening, the music being supplied by an orchestra.

The South Saanich Women's Institute will hold its regular fortnightly military five hundred card tournament in Temperance Hall on Saturday evening, November 12, at 8:30 o'clock. The evening will be in charge of Mesdames E. T. Lawrie, W. R. Butler and A. Anderson, and refreshments will be served after the game.

The South Saanich Women's Institute will meet in the rooms at Temperance Hall on Thursday evening, November 17, at 8 o'clock. After the regular business session, Mrs. R. J. Parrell will give a talk on her visit to the Peace River district, which promises to be highly interesting. Following the meeting a social hour will be enjoyed and visitors will be welcome during the evening.

Dr. Crothers Dies

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 9.—The Rev. Dr. Samuel McChord Crothers, one of the best-known Unitarian clergymen in the country, died tonight. He was seventy years old. Dr. Crothers, author of nearly a score of books, was pastor of the First Parish Church in Cambridge since 1894.

Honor Women of Empire



A DESCRIPTION OF THE ABOVE OAK SCREEN

erected in York Minister to the memory of women of the Empire who gave their lives for their country during the Great War is contained in a letter received here recently from an old Victoria resident, Mrs. Rosamond Wake, now living at Crompton Hill, Malvern, England. The first panel is specially dedicated to Nurse Cavell, and the seventh is the Canadian memorial panel, which has the names of the nineteen nursing sisters from this country engraved on the back.

"It was my good fortune lately to visit York Minister," wrote Mrs. Wake, "where a short time ago a beautiful oak screen was erected to the memory of the Women of the Empire who gave their lives for England in the war of 1914-1918, and perhaps a short account may be of interest to those who may not have the privilege of seeing it. The screen stands on the left of the nave, in the north transept. The top is an open screen of dark oak, the back of the open squares look into the little chapel of St. Nicholas, and below the squares are twelve panels with plain oak doors, each having a brass handle. The names of the women belonging to a corps or unit are in black letters on a white ground. Inside the panels, above the doors outside are the words, 'This screen records the names of the Women of the Empire, who gave their lives in the war of 1914-1918, to whose memory the five Sisters' Window was restored.' Above the names, inside the panels, are the words, 'Rest Eternal Grant Them, O Lord, and Let Light Perpetual Shine Upon Them.' On some of the panel doors are the crest or symbol of the unit or corps in which the women served, and on Nurse Cavell's her last words are inscribed, 'Lay my body where you will, and be not anxious about it, this only I beseech you, remember me at the Altar of God, wherever you are.' Surely an inspiring message for the parents of their heroic daughters, whose dear bodies lie far from them in the sea or on land.

"As I made my little pilgrimage to each of the twelve panels, the soft light streamed down through the beautiful five Sisters' windows like a benediction and touched in points of gold the gilded carvings which ornaments the screen, and some of the words on the King's scroll came into my mind. You who come after, see to it that their names be not forgotten. Truly the women of York, who erected this token of honor and esteem, and the authorities who sanctioned its being placed in one of the most beautiful and ancient cathedrals of England, have seen to it that the names of these brave women shall not be forgotten."

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Various announcements of interest to members were made, particularly with reference to the Arion Club and concert on Tuesday next, and an afternoon tea to be given by Miss Unwin at her home, 2178 Beaver Road, on Saturday. By the kind invitation of Miss Kate Brown, a bridge party will be held at her home, 1344 Minto Street, on Saturday evening, November 19.

Two selections, played by Miss Vivien Mogege, were greatly enjoyed. Mrs. Crocker, candidate for civic aldermanic honors, addressed the club briefly.

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Society and Women's Affairs

Personals, Parties Visitors

Round of Engagements

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor will be busy in Vancouver today with Miss Helen Mackenzie he is the guest of Mrs. B. T. Rogers, at her beautiful home in Shaughnessy Heights. He will attend a consular corps luncheon at 12:15 o'clock; officiate at the ceremony at the new Presbyterian Church in Point Grey in the afternoon, and in the evening His Honor will be the guest of Col. Foster at dinner, proceeding to the Military Institute ball in the evening. On Friday he will attend functions associated with Armistice Day in Vancouver, before returning here.

Surprise Party

A most enjoyable surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Moore, 1286 Johnson Street, on Saturday evening, to celebrate the anniversary of their wedding. The rooms were tastefully decorated with roses, chrysanthemums and dahlias. The evening was spent with cards and dancing. The self-invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Jamieson, Mrs. Foubister, Miss Crossin, Miss Inkster, Miss Moore, Mr. Melhuish, Mr. Woods and Mr. Johnston. The prize winners at cards were Mrs. Johnston, Miss Moore, Mrs. Foubister and Mr. Johnston.

Dinner for Visitors

Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Driscoll entertained at a ladies' dinner party on Tuesday night in their home in York Place in honor of Mrs. D. C. Coleman, of Winnipeg, and Mrs. H. Davis, of Portland. Bridge was played later. The other guests were Mrs. A. S. Humphreys, Mrs. C. E. Thomas, Mrs. D. L. Gillespie, Mrs. G. C. Johnston, Mrs. H. M. McGovern, Miss Mowbray.

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Who will officiate at the formal opening of St. Joseph's Ladies' Auxiliary's annual bazaar at St. Joseph's Hospital at 2 p.m. today. Anyone having donations which they wish to present for the affair may leave these any time today at the hospital, as the bazaar is to continue both afternoon and evening. Numerous attractions will be on sale, the ladies having been busy sewing in preparation for this event for months.

Returns From Vancouver

Miss S. Johnston, of 1345 Haultain Street, returned home yesterday after spending the Thanksgiving holiday with friends in Vancouver.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cotton and Miss Alice Cotton, who have been spending several months abroad, are expected to return home tomorrow.

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Back From Vancouver

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Miss Lillian Martin, of the Beverley Hotel Apartments, has returned from Vancouver, where she spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Jack Eckerby (nee Arnsen), a former Victorian.

From Vancouver

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Trites, of Vancouver, are expected in Victoria on Saturday, and will spend the week-end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hill at "Hillhaven."

Returns From Vancouver

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Patrick returned yesterday from Vancouver, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Patrick, Shaughnessy Heights.

En Route to Honolulu

Mrs. W. L. Stanley and Miss Ellen Stanley have arrived here on their return from England to Honolulu, and will sail on the Aorangi.

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R.M.C. Professor to Wed



Of interest in Canadian military circles will be the wedding on November 26, in Kingston, of Miss Katharine Bermingham and Professor O. T. Macklem, of the Royal Military College.

Parkville Personals

Mr. John Hickey, of Vancouver, is staying with his parents, Major and Mrs. R. P. Hickey.

Mrs. J. S. Matterson has returned from a short visit to Duncan.

Colonel and Mrs. Burke have returned from a few days spent in Vancouver and Victoria.

Mrs. Muzio and Mr. J. Muzio were the guests of Mrs. G. S. Abernethy during the week.

Capt. J. S. Matterson is in Victoria for the next few months.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Hirst and Mrs. Allan Ford motored to Victoria on Sunday. Mrs. Hirst will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pottinger. Mr. Hirst and Mrs. Allan Ford returned on Monday.

Major R. F. Hickey has returned after a few days spent in Vancouver.

Miss M. Grief has returned to Victoria after spending a few days as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Grief, Errington.

Mr. Gerald Davis is spending a short holiday in Vancouver.

Mr. H. Wing returned to Vancouver on Monday after spending the week-end at his home in Parkville.

Mr. A. L. Smith has returned after a few months spent on his farm on the Prairies.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wells have left for California.

Courtenay News Items

Mr. Ernest Fletcher has disposed of his boat building premises on the Dyke to Mr. D. R. Macdonald, who has just returned from a visit to Nova Scotia.

Mr. C. H. Pigott is a visitor in town from California.

A party of sixteen young people took a trip into the mountains on Thanksgiving Day. They found over a foot and a half of snow on Quartz Creek Mountain, but the snow was well packed and made good going. One of the members shot a two-spoke deer during the ascent, and found it all he could do to pack home the best part of the kill.

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Patricia Bay News

Miss Margaret Law, a student of the University of British Columbia, is spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Law, Downey's Road.

Mr. J. Stanley Rashleigh, a former resident, spent the week-end with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Knowles, Centre Road. Mr. Rashleigh has just purchased a farm at Qualicum, where he will soon reside.

Mr. Cecil Heaton, of 1715 Davie Street, Victoria, spent Thanksgiving Day with friends here.

Mrs. Partridge and family, of Fairfield Road, Victoria, spent the week-end at their summer home.

Mrs. Richardson and daughter, of Victoria, spent the week-end at their summer home on Monro Avenue.

The Rev. T. M. Hughes has left for Vancouver to officiate in the opening of the new Anglican Theological College at Point Grey.

Mr. and Mrs. Alejandro Freidrichs, of Brea, Dyke, are leaving Sunday for England, intending to return early in the Spring.

Prof. Paul Boving, of the University of British Columbia, is spending a few days at his home, "Meadlands."

Mrs. Wilfred Sadler, of Vancouver, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William McLean.

Mr. A. Flower Speaks At Dramatic School

Mr. Archibald Flower, head of the Stratford Memorial Theatre Fund, visited the B.C. Dramatic School yesterday afternoon and addressed a gathering of students and friends. Miss Kathleen Agnew welcomed the guest of honor on behalf of the school and was presented with a beautiful bouquet by Patricia Swan, the youngest student present. In introducing Mr. Flower, Major Bullock-Webster reminded the audience that the distinguished guest was not only a Shakespearean scholar and Mayor of Stratford-on-Avon, but also a great sportsman. That he had not only rowed for Cambridge, but had got a second "blue" for Rugby. That he was still a fine polo player and rode to hounds as well as any man in the country. Mr. Flower gave a most interesting and entertaining address dealing with the work of the Stratford Theatre and Players. That Shakespeare given as they give the plays, has an appeal to the masses was illustrated by an anecdote of a young quartermaster who lived sixteen miles from Stratford and came in on his bicycle to see plays thirty-seven times in one season. Miss Agnew expressed the appreciation of those present for Mr. Flower's address. She prophesied a splendid support for the Stratford Players when they visit Victoria next Fall.

Deep Cove Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Neelands are spending the week-end at Deep Cove.

Mrs. Edwards returned to Deep Cove after two weeks spent in Victoria.

Mr. Arthur Thornton has returned to his home after spending several months in Metchoin.

Mrs. George Clarke, Sr., and Miss Clarke, of Shewanigan, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Clarke, Jr., "Sandy Gap," West Road.

Mrs. Bishop and her daughter Frances, of Duncan, are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. George Clarke.

Mr. Fred Steinberg, of Dawson, is visiting his brother, Mr. H. Steinberg, School Crossroad.

Mr. Beattie, of Toronto, is staying with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. Beattie, Horth's Crossroad.

Miss May Copithorne is spending a few days in Vancouver.

Galiano Personals

Rev. R. Porter conducted service in the schoolhouse on Sunday.

Mr. G. Paddon paid a visit to Galiano Island on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee returned home on Saturday, also Mr. and Mrs. Twiss and family, from Vancouver.

Mooseheart Members Give Entertainment

Women of Mooseheart Legion, Victoria Chapter No. 25, and Maple Leaf Legion, paid a surprise visit to the Aged and Infirm Women's Home on Rutherford, last Sunday.

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Shakespeare's Windsor

By DORA KITTO

It is no easy task to attempt a description of Shakespeare's Windsor, but of the many skilful pens which have made this effort, probably Mr. Charles Knight, who knew and loved his Windsor well, has made the most complete and satisfactory records and comments.

From the sharp arch, the bridge over the Thames, which divides Eton from Windsor, the straggling narrow street rose sharply between picturesque buildings and gabled roofs of houses, while above all towered the great grey pile of the fortress itself. The Castle Hill led up to the left and narrow Peaseod Street branched off to the right, and at the top of the hill stood a cross, since removed. Two well-known inns, with the brightly painted signs which are so typical of Old England, lay close together. They were the "Garter" and the "White Hart," and but a short distance beyond stood the Market House, then a new building, where the governing Merchant Guild once did the city's business. The upper story was let for £6 a year to an innkeeper, and near the Market House was the pillory. The present Town Hall, completed by Wren, has since been united with the Market House and almost faces the gate built by Queen Elizabeth to the castle.

A few more straggling houses and then we might have seen a grand open space leading to the memorable Great Park, the hunting ground of kings for centuries.

"THE MERRY WIVES"

Such is the background for Shakespeare's "Merry Wives of Windsor," and yet, with the changes of time, practically every spot is challenged and little real knowledge has been added to the history of the place. "Had Shakespeare commentators in the past made fewer guesses," says Lottie, "it might have been easier to identify many spots. Each wiseacre who has gone over the ground has so carefully erased the footsteps of his predecessors that the footprints of the great poet himself, which underlay them all, have long been obliterated."

In his "Studies of Shakespeare," Mr. Charles Knight gives a beautiful description of Elizabethan Windsor, a quiet, sleepy little country town lying in the shadow of the great castle, and having quaint gabled houses and pretty gardens. Yet only dimly can we establish any connection with such places as Datchet, Mead, Herne's Oak, the Fairy Pit or the Page's house, and much must remain shrouded in mystery, but the annals of Windsor give us an opportunity to visualize the Royal Borough in the days of the reign of Queen Elizabeth, who did so much to improve a residence which she loved, and often occupied in the Autumn and Winter months.

The first view of the castle which has any pretensions to be contemporaneous with this period and at the same time an exact production, is probably that made by Norden for James I. and now treasured in the British Museum among the Harleian Manuscripts.

The Page's house lay, probably in High Street, slightly north of the present town hall. Across the street, beneath the castle walls, was the home of the Ford's, for Fords and Pages may be found in the ancient register of the town, and we can conjure up a mental picture of Master Ford going "a birdin'"; of Master Page "training his fallow greyhound"; and of Sir Hugh Evans, the parson, and Justice Shallow, discussing the ordinary topics of the day, while sweet Anne Page would come in to call her father's friends to dine, and ancient hospitality was dispensed without ostentation. But good cheer and jollity did not infer all the conveniences of modern days. Dilapidated walls, full of draughty chinks and dirty rush-strewn floors were not unknown even in the castle itself, and poverty and distress, and crime cannot be dissociated from the golden reign of Queen Elizabeth, though Windsor may have been in a fairly flourishing condition. The whole setting of the "Merry Wives" is, however, Windsor itself, and a Windsor well described, for the poet must have known its inhabitants and environment pretty well.

CURIOUS SPORT

The Queen was fond of sport and spent a good deal of time over that prevailing at the period, which included whipping a blinded bear, bull-baiting, cock-fighting and other amusements which an advancing civilization has gradually eliminated. Surely few ladies of the present day would set themselves the task of translating Boethius' "De Consolatione Philosophiae," yet the Queen during a stay at the castle, actually did this between October 10 and November 5, 1583, the time it really took being but twenty-four hours in all, for, she sometimes "dodged about" and "did forebear to translate." But here was an age of brilliant statesmen and brilliant scholars, and the Queen was no exception. Her husband alone, however, is responsible for the statement that she desired to see "Palsgrave in Love," or commanded the famous poet to write his "Merry Wives" at Windsor.

HERNE'S OAK

The wonderful park and forest land surrounding the royal domain is for ever associated with the sporting instinct of kings, and the story of Herne's Oak is doubtless connected with the wild huntman who figures in the legends of Henry VIII. and Queen Elizabeth. Having incurred the royal displeasure, he is said to have wandered himself, and his ghostly hangers-on, terrorizing the people in the surrounding neighborhood for many a day. Mrs. Page herself tells the story of his strange deeds when she begins the speech, "There is an old tale goes."

Some historians considered the tree to be still standing in the middle of the Nineteenth Century, beside the path leading to Datchet, but Mr. Davis, King's Huntman, said that George III often remarked that he had caused the surrounding trees to be cut down because they were so often mistaken for Herne's oak. George IV, too, always said that his father did not have the tree removed, but had it placed under the care of a Mr. Engle, telling him that it was Herne's oak. Among older townspeople of that period there were many conflicting opinions, but in any event a tree fell in 1823 which was long known by that name. Mr. Charles Knight is probably right when he says that the oak stood in the Home Park, in a little dell which is now filled up.



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LOST LANDMARKS

The road from Windsor to the bridge, connecting two sides of the River Thames, at Datchet, afterwards succeeded by a ferry, passed over some flat ground below the North Terrace of the castle and this was later taken into the Home Park and walled in. It thus lost its Shakespearean name of "Datchet Mead," but in this field, as it was in Tudor times, Palsgrave was thrown into a

muddy ditch beside the river bank. But if modern convenience and recent improvement in road building have completely altered the appearance of this locality, its fame as the scene of Shakespeare's drama can never fade away, and its associations with history, literature and romance of the British people will make it forever dear.

The Co-Optimist Comedy Company will produce a farce entitled "730 A.M." at the Crystal Garden on Friday.

S.P.C.A. Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals will be held on November 22 in the Art Club room, Union Building, when all interested persons are invited to be present.

MOVING PICTURES SHOWN

Mr. D. Hutchinson, A.R.S.M., de-lighted a large audience at the Island Arts and Crafts Club room on Tuesday night with a series of interesting moving pictures, showing

scenes in various parts of the world, ranging from the landing of the British forces in China to ramping scenes on Vancouver Island. The views were shown for the Vancouver Island Prospectors' Association, and it was announced that Dr. Dolmage, of the Geological Survey, would give an illustrated lecture on November 15.

AUTHORS' CLUB MEETING

The Victoria and Island Branch of the Canadian Authors' Club will meet Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the Alexander Club room, Pemberton Building. The subject to be discussed is "Journalism."

CONCERT POSTPONED

The Armistice concert, arranged for Friday evening in Hampton Hall, Burnside, is postponed until December 9. Instead of the concert, a new will be introduced, when it is anticipated that some

of the new music which will be on the air on Friday night will be brought in.

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Flannelette Nightgowns, \$1.75. This well-made gown has a buttoned front, V neck and yoke, trimmed with colored stitching. It comes in white only, but also in neat stripes of blue and white and pink and white. There are silk frog fastenings. Price **\$1.75**

Flannelette Nightgowns, \$2.25. These well made English flannelette gowns have the V or square necks finished with buttonholed edge. They are neatly embroidered. Price **\$2.25**

Out-Size Flannelette Gowns. There is a large assortment in out-size flannelette gowns. They have buttoned fronts and long sleeves. This is an opportunity for you to obtain a warm and well made gown in a convenient size. Prices **\$1.95, \$2.25, \$2.55**

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Children's Flannelette Slips. These are in pretty neat styles, with narrow frill and lace edging. Sizes 1 to 3 years. Price **49c**

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Children's Flannelette Nightgowns. V or high necks and long sleeves make these gowns suitable for the coming Winter season. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Price **89c**

Children's Flannelette Nightgowns. Sizes 8 to 16 years. Price **\$1.20**

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LATEST SPORT THE WORLD OVER

DAVIS CUP RULES ARE CHANGED

Playing Programme to Be Much Earlier Than Previously, According to Reports From France

TO PLAY ON DIRT COURTS THIS YEAR

Elimination Will Take Place Around First of May and Finals Near End of July

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Radical changes were disclosed today in the regulations for the Davis Cup competition, effective next year under French control and involving advancement of the whole playing programme to much earlier dates than previously. Although the U.S. Lawn Tennis Association has received no official notice of the changes, it is assumed that the majority of the participating nations to close the entries on January 3, make the draw on February 3 or 9, start the elimination play around May 1, reaching a climax with the challenge round at Paris at the end of July. Such consent is necessary under the Davis Cup rules.

UNITED STATES APPROVES

The change, as indicated in dispatches from France, have the approval of the U.S.L.T.A., however, although this country's plans for starting out on the challenge round are still incomplete. One advantage of the earlier competition will be to permit a substantial foreign invasion for the United States championships in August or earlier in September.

The United States has not yet decided whether it will challenge preliminary play in the European or American zone. The advantage of entering the European zone would be to provide more and, perhaps, more adequate sending a team abroad in May at the latest.

Australia already has challenged for the cup to the European zone. If America did likewise, only Cuba, Canada, Japan and Mexico would be left in the American zone of nations that took part in the play this year.

Ban Johnson Is Seriously Ill; Presentation Off

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, Mo., Nov. 9.—Byron Bancroft Johnson, twenty-six years of undying effort for the salvation of the American League reaped their first reward and greatest toll today, when the seriousness of the old car's illness prevented him from meeting representatives of the league umpires, bent on presenting him with a bronze plaque.

Johnson, who has not left his suite or been allowed to see anyone since he repaired here immediately after his resignation early in October, made a futile effort to rise and dress when informed that Clarence Rowland and C. B. "Buck" Owens, American League umpires, had arrived from Chicago to visit him. His inability to remain on his feet long enough to dress prompted his physician, Dr. Ernest Lowmy, to order him back to bed immediately and prohibit the presentation.

UPLANDS LADIES TO HOLD ANNUAL MEETING SATURDAY

The annual meeting of the ladies of the Uplands Golf Club will be held Saturday afternoon in the clubhouse. The ladies' committee will serve tea at 4 o'clock, and the meeting will follow. All members are asked to be present.

Scottish to Practice

The Sixteenth Canadian Scottish will hold a joint practice of all senior and intermediate players at the Drill Hall tonight at 8 o'clock. The following seniors are asked to turn out: Farrar, Oliver, Henderson, J. Christie, Shaw, Radford, Stanner, Forbes, Hesselein, R. Christie, Thurburn, McOliver, D. Wilson, Pollard, Wightman. The intermediates will play College, and the seniors the Wanderers on Saturday.

Chess Is Brilliant, But Results in Draw

BUENOS AIRES, Nov. 9.—In spite of brilliant play by both Jose R. Capablanca, and Alexander Alekhine, the twenty-seventh game for the world's chess championship ended in a draw tonight after thirty-eight moves. Only two major pieces, a bishop and a knight and pawns had been exchanged. The twenty-eighth game will be played tomorrow.

ELGIN-DUTCH TEAM WINS

REPLIN, Nov. 9.—The Belgian football team of De Wolf and Van Krompen finished winter in the six-day bicycle race, which ended to their favor. They scored 944 points.

Wilshire Club to Be Scene of Big Golf Tournament

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 9.—Selection of the Wilshire Country Club as the scene of the third annual Los Angeles \$10,000 open golf championship tournament, scheduled to be held over a three-day period, January 6 to 8, was announced tonight. The Wilshire Club is considered one of the most difficult courses in this section.

RUTH AND GEHRIG BREAK RECORDS

Home-Run Kings Traveled 8,000 Miles and Played Before 220,000 on Recent Trip

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig are back in New York with their pockets full of records and cash after a three-week tour of the country as baseball's "greatest show on earth." The famous Yankee home-run kings and their act made up of good-natured kidding and horse-play interspersed with high-powered samples of heavy hitting, traveled 8,000 miles, played before 220,000, mostly kids, and autographed 5,000 baseballs.

Of the twenty-one games in twenty cities in the United States from Rhode Island to California, thirteen were broken up before the ninth inning by youthful admirers. Gehrig's batting average for the tour was .418 with 69 times at bat, 55 hits and 13 home runs.

Ruth's mark was .616 with 99 times up, 61 hits and 20 circuit stuns.

Toronto Leafs Win Exhibition From Hamilton

HAMILTON, Nov. 9.—Toronto Maple Leafs, of the N. H. L., defeated the Hamilton team of the Canadian Professional Hockey League, 6-4, in a preseason exhibition game this afternoon. Hamilton led, 3-2, going into the last period, when the Leafs showed some nice hockey, netting four additional goals. Art Duncan's defensive team's shut out the Leafs in the last period.

UZZUDUN MATCHED TO BATTLE RISK

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Paulino Uzzudun, the Spanish woodsman, is down to mill with Johnny Risko, of Cleveland, at Madison Square Garden, November 25, according to plans shaped out today by Tex Rickard. As Paulino still is under suspension by the boxing commission for developing a lame back while training for a bout with Phil Scott, Rickard was unable to actually sign the Basque for the match.

Crosses Trail of Redskins on Warpath



BY AL DEMAREE

(Former Pitcher New York Giants) Brains usually are worth more than speed in football, as is proved by this story. A. J. Robertson, director of athletics at Bradley Polytechnic Institute, told me.

"In the Minnesota-Carlisle Indian game of 1908," he said, "the Carlisle team had been camping on the Gopher goal line most of the game, but had failed to score more than one touchdown. Late in the fourth quarter, with the score tied, it looked as if the Indians would break through. On the five-yard line they tried a mass play at center. Out of the pile came the ball, and it was scooped up by Chestnut, the Minnesota right end, a fine player but a very slow runner. He set sail for the Indian goal line, ninety-five yards away.

"Two big Indian line men took after him. Both were faster than Chestnut, and they were gaining. Rademacher, the Minnesota captain, took up the chase. He was much faster than any one of the three. Instead of blocking one Indian and letting the other one catch Chestnut, which an unthinking player would have done, Rademacher ran a while in front of one, slowing him up, then switched to the other. He jockeyed the two Indian pursuers until Chestnut reached the Indian goal line in safety. This touchdown won for Minnesota, 11 to 6."

Another Hazard Found on Golf Links



Golfing is becoming very full of hazards in Ontario. When fifteen-year-old Harry Huginin was attacked by a hawk while caddying on the Hunt Club golf links he was clawed and bitten on the hands before he beat the bird off with a golf club. After stunning the bird he placed it in a box and carried it home, where it had revived upon his arrival, and clawed the arm of the lad's mother when he was showing it to her. Here is Harry and his prize. Inset is his mother.

DAVE LEWIS TO FIGHT MURPHY

Local Boy Is Matched With Bellingham Boxer Vancouver Fight Card

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 9.—Billy Townsend, the latest sensation in the Northwest boxing circles, has been matched to meet Don Stewart, of Seattle, in the second ten-round main event scheduled for the new boxing auditorium here Friday night.

Harvey Holliday and Mickey Gilly are due to battle it out in the feature ten-round bout.

Townsend has fought his way into the limelight in the last few months by the sensational way in which he has defeated all opposition, and critics are now proclaiming him the best 130-pounder in the Northwest, not excepting Wildcat Carter.

In facing Stewart, Townsend will be facing plenty of opposition, as Stewart has been beating practically the same boys that Townsend has disposed of. Charlie O'Leary and Johnny Woods, whom Townsend recently beat, also are victims of Stewart's boxing ability.

Besides the two ten-round encounters, Matchmaker Jack Allen has lined up three four-round bouts, one of which finds Jimmy Murphy, of Bellingham, meeting Dave Lewis, of Victoria.

Murphy here last Summer, and Lewis gave Billy Townsend a tough argument about the same time, so the match looks like a nice one.

Billy Cox, meets George Siler, of Seattle, in the next bout, and Ned Byrne, of Prince Rupert, and Willard Dix, of Bellingham, meet in the opener.

Chicago Black Hawks Lose to Minneapolis

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 7.—The Minneapolis American Association hockey team defeated the Chicago Black Hawks, National League team, by a 4-0 score in the first game of the season here tonight. It was a give and take game and in speed appeared evenly matched. Red Stuart, the new wing star, scored the lone tally near the close of the second period.

Cissell Arrested

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 9.—Chalmers Y. Cissell, \$100,000 rookie shortstop recently purchased from the Portland club of the Pacific Coast League by the Chicago White Sox, was arrested here tonight at the request of Sheriff P. A. Findley, of Des Moines, Ia., who said he had a warrant for the ball player. Cissell was arrested at his home here and held under \$500 bond.

Pats to Meet Argos

REGINA, Nov. 9.—Regina Pats, winners of the Saskatchewan Junior Rugby championship, when they defeated Saskatoon Hilltops here Monday night, will continue the Western day, will continue the Western day, will continue the Western day.

Keating Basketball

KEATING, Nov. 9.—The Keating Basketball Club will engage in three games in Temperance Hall on Friday evening. The senior game will be between the Victoria College team and the local boys. The local girls and intermediate teams will also play.

SPORTSMAN PASSES AWAY

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 9.—Henry C. Garneau, fifty-three, manufacturer, banker, and broker, died of heart disease at his office here today. He was president of the Western Amateur Athletic organization, a member of the Olympic games committee in 1904.

The State of Illinois received \$241,659 from the Tunney-Dempsey fight at Soldiers Field, Chicago. The amount represents ten per cent of the gate receipts.

Women Fight Gotham Boxing—Drive Launched to Kill Game

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Women members of the committee opposed to prize fighting announced today that a concerted drive would be made on all members of the state legislature and political leaders for support in the move to kill legalized professional prize fighting in New York state.

Mrs. Anna P. George, chairman of the committee, said the crusade had already obtained momentum. Mrs. George is supported in her crusade by Canon William Sheafe Chase, secretary of the committee of civic and religious workers.

Mrs. George claims that sixty-three per cent of the answers received from a questionnaire sent to candidates for the assembly indicated emphatic opposition to the prize fight game. She declared that prize fighting had progressed from a real sport to a highly commercialized business proposition.

"Prize fighting is undermining the very strength of real sport," said Canon Chase. "It is undermining not only boxing, but all other healthy athletic games."

VIC FOLEY GIVES ECKLUND LESSON

Vancouver Lad Whips Seattle Fighter Until He Retires Bout in Fourth

BELLINGHAM, Wash., Nov. 9.—Vic Foley, of Vancouver, former bantamweight champion of Canada, gave Keeple Ecklund, of Seattle, a boxing lesson until the referee halted the scheduled six-round main event in the fourth round here tonight and awarded the decision to Foley. Ecklund was out on his feet.

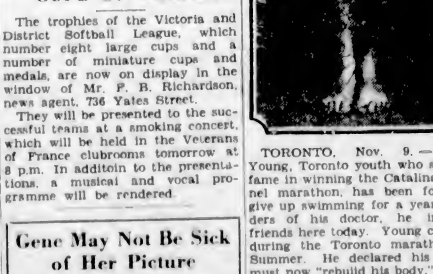
The Canadian boxer had scored two knockdowns. Eddie Gross, 160, Seattle, won by a technical knockout over Mickey Lavey, of Seattle, in the third round of a projected six-round affair. Gross knocked down his fellow townsman three times. Eddie Richards, 130, Seattle, and Jimmy Murphy, Bellingham, drew in four rounds. Young McDonald, 115, Vancouver, lost the decision over Vic Vonda, of Bellingham, Filipino, in the four-round duce spot.

SOFTBALL LEAGUE CUPS ON DISPLAY

The trophies of the Victoria and District Softball League, which number eight large cups and a number of miniature cups and medals, are now on display in the window of Mr. P. B. Richardson, news agent, 736 Yates Street.

They will be presented to the successful teams at a smoking concert, which will be held in the Veterans of France clubrooms tomorrow at 8 p.m. In addition to the presentation, a musical and vocal program will be rendered.

Gene May Not Be Sick of Her Picture



B.C. Rugger May No. Get Trip to East

VANCOUVER, Nov. 9.—Prospects of B. C. Canadian Rugby champions taking part in the Western Canada playdowns are becoming slim. Officials of the "Big Four" League have wired east to the heads of the Western Canada Rugby Football Union advising them of the situation here and asking what guarantee could be given to have a team go to Regina to play the Rough Riders. Up to the present no reply had been received from the prairie officials.

The British Columbia championship will be decided November 19, and it is feared the weather on the prairies will be unfavorable to Rugby by then.

Old Country Football

LONDON, Nov. 9.—Middlesex defeated Hampshire in a Rugby county championship today, 16 to 6. Cambridge University defeated a team from the Navy and Marines at Portsmouth at soccer, 2 to 1.

KEATING WINS OVERTIME GAME

Defeat C.P.S. After Five Extra Minutes in Exciting Basketball Fixture at Centennial

REDBIRDS DEFEAT AXIOMS HANDILY

Results of last night's City Basketball League game, played at the Centennial gymnasium, were as follows:

Mens "C"—V. M. D. 25, Garrison 4.

Ladies "B"—Redbirds 28, Axioms 15.

Mens "B"—Keating 25, C.P.S. 23.

The feature game of the evening was between Keating and the C.P.S. After five minutes of overtime, the boys from the suburban district chalked up a victory by a 25-23 score. At the conclusion of the regular playing time, the score stood 21-21. The winners took the lead on a foul shot in the first few seconds of extra play, but the lumbermen discounted this lead when Chapman scored with a field basket. Keating equalized with a foul shot. One minute from time, Mitchell dropped in the winning basket with a nice shot. The lumbermen fought hard to tie the count, but failed.

Masick refereed. The teams were:

Keating—L. Mitchell (10), L. Styan (6), S. Bates (2), C. Cunningham (3), W. Bates (2), A. Bickford.

C.P.S.—T. Scafe (3), K. Chapman (9), C. Bull (7), A. Woods (2) and D. Miles (2).

V.M.D. EASY WINNERS

In the first game of the evening, the V.M.D. had little difficulty in disposing of the Garrison, winning 25 to 4. The winners held a four-point lead at the rest interval, but in the second half they annexed nineteen points to their opponents' three. Masick led the scorers with twelve points to his credit.

John Jackson handled the whistle. V.M.D.—Eesler (11), Wragg, Francis, Brinkman (2), Masick (12) and Grant.

Garrison—Clodell (2), Graham (3), Moorhouse, Redfern, Allen (2) and Bates.

REDBIRDS DOUBLE SCORE

In the ladies "B" game, the Redbirds more than doubled the score on the Axioms, the final count being 28 to 15. The half-time interval was 9-5, in favor of the winners. In the second half the winners opened up and scored nineteen points to their opponents' eight. K. Masick handled the whistle.

The teams were:

Redbirds—K. Peden (14), I. Foulkes, E. Maynard (7), J. Milliken (7), E. Wood and B. Boyce.

Axioms—M. Edwards, G. Anderson (2), K. Forbes (2), R. Belhel (8), D. Gossie (1) and B. Ross.

SATURDAY'S GAMES

Four games will be played at the Y.M.C.A. gym on Saturday as follows:

Intermediate "A"—High School vs. 18th Canadian Scottish.

Mens "A"—Onwegos vs. Jordan River.

Ladies "A"—Adanacs vs. B. O. Telephone.

Mens "A"—C.P.S. vs. Swords.

CANADIAN GIRL WINS TITLE JUMP AT NEW YORK HORSE SHOW

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—A Canadian girl, Miss Ruth Cowan, of Montreal, won the most difficult high jumping contest at the forty-second National Horse Show at Madison Square Garden last night.

She cleared a thirty-two crack jumper from the United States, France and Poland. She performed the difficult jumps on a side saddle, going over four five-foot hurdles amid great applause.

CANADIAN PLANE IS WRECKED ON RIVER

FREDERICTON, N.B., Nov. 9.—Deceived by the reflection of a leaden sky on the smooth surface of the Saint John River, a Canadian plane dove straight into the river here this afternoon. In the plane were Flight Lieut. C. N. Harrop, pilot; Col. Winship, mechanic; and C. Donnelly, photographer, all of Dartmouth, N.B., air station.

Canoes, skiffs and launches dashed from both banks of the river as soon as the crash occurred, and the plane had circled several times before landing on the surface of the river. Three aviators were clinging to the wreck, the plane having broken up after striking the water.

The aviators were cut about the face and much bruised and suffering from shock and exposure.

Rene Lacoste Tests Mechanical "Player"

LONDON, Nov. 9.—Rene Lacoste, the French tennis ace, tried out a lawn tennis "Robot" on one of London's tennis courts. The metallic "player" shot ten balls successfully across the net at four angles, operating either by the turn of a handle or an electric motor. Lacoste said that the machine could be arranged so that it would throw any number up to a thousand.

City to Work Out

Victoria City football team will hold a workout this evening at the Veterans of France at 8 o'clock. All members are asked to attend.

Says There Is No Real Amateur Athlete



JOE BAKER

Of Vancouver, veteran leader of athletes in British Columbia, who at the annual meeting of the British Columbia Amateur Athletic Association, attacked the proposal that the association draw all claims to being "amateur" and "semi-professional" and "amateur" to minute apiece. He declared that there were no real amateur athletes, and that "so-called amateur sports had reached the stage where it was not even semi-amateurized."

Tiger Flowers And Rosenbloom Battle to Draw

DETROIT, Nov. 9.—Tiger Flowers, Georgia negro, and Maxie Rosenbloom, New York, fought ten rounds to a draw here tonight. The men are middleweights.

Flowers scored heavily with a hard left to the heart in the early part of the contest, but was slowed down in the seventh, when Rosenbloom upset him with a terrific hook to the jaw. Flowers was up before the referee could start a count.

MIKE MCTIGUE TO QUIT RING

Veteran Brawler Declares He Will Retire in Year—Has Made \$394,000 During Boxing Career

TORONTO, Nov. 9.—The veteran Mike McTigue, twice light-heavyweight champion of the world, and now a contender for the title again, is going to retire from the ring possibly in a year.

"I have been fighting for seventeen years," he told a newspaper reporter today on his arrival for a fight with Larry Gains, Canadian heavyweight champion, next Friday night. "I think I deserve a rest, don't you?"

Mike has made \$394,000 with the padded gloves since he began fighting in 1910.

McTigue at Toronto

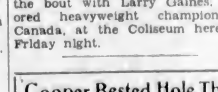
TORONTO, Nov. 9.—Mike McTigue and his trainer arrived in Toronto today from New York for the bout with Larry Gains, colored heavyweight champion of Canada, at the Coliseum here on Friday night.

If the lure of the pounding hoofs gets under Gains' skin to the extent that he "falls for it," then it will undoubtedly mean that the champion himself will take a bit of the play and the stable of Tunney and Gibson blossom into being.

That's the story of the "va." Placing Judge George Schilling announcing: "Gene Tunney, world's heavyweight champion, in this corner, I mean on this chair, and Jack Dempsey, ex-champion, on this chair. Let her go and may the best man—horse win."

Cooper Bested Hole That Stumped Jones

6th HOLE CAPTIVATED 187 YARDS. COOPER'S 2



By Sol Metzger

Bobby Jones' fatal sixth at Oakmont, the hole he could not get on from the tee, a 187-yarder that was fatally trapped, was a set up for Harry Cooper. I saw him play one iron to this green which stopped about twelve feet from the cup. Cooper ran down a birdie. Cooper is a fine iron player, keen with any of these clubs, lightning fast in playing them, too. Harry keeps a gallery moving. You get exercise following him.

His mauling stance, the club he is playing in the sketches, is quite open, and his shot with this club a model to follow. Ball is played nearer the right than left foot in order to make sure of hitting it on the downswing. That gives the backspin.

What I want you to particularly note is how rapidly his body pivots on the downswing. Note his position in the second figure from the left at the top and his body position in the third, just as he starts the club down. Already his left foot is flat on the ground and the hips back almost to their position at the address.

This may seem as though he were getting the body in too soon. But that is not so. Harry makes this move to give him balance and steadiness. Note though, that his shoulders have unwound but a little. From this third position on through Cooper depends on his arms and wrists doing the trick. That gives his shot crispness. He keeps his left going out after the ball following contact in order to insure holding direction. Tomorrow we will look into some of the secrets of Armour's iron play.

TUNNEY MAY BE HORSE OWNER

Reports Have It That Champion and Manager May Purchase String of Thoroughbreds

DEMPESEY TO RACE AT TIJUANA TRACK

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Nov. 9.—Gene Tunney vs. Jack Dempsey at Tijuana this Winter.

No other than a "pipe dream" for it doesn't mean they are going to be "vs." in a Marquis of Queensberry ring. Jim Coffroth will give a hundred grand to the winner of the Coffroth Handicap, which will be decided at the meeting which opens next Thanksgiving Day, but that doesn't mean he wants to take the play away from Chicago, Gotham, the Quaker City and other tank towns by giving the above-mentioned champions of swat a million and a half bucks for the pleasure of seeing them swing on each other in the infield of his race course.

The "vs." comes in from a racing standpoint, and here's the dope: They may be rival horse owners.

Dempsey, as the world of sport knows, gathered unto himself, last season, a stable of see-gees and turned them over to Johnny Coburn and told him to "shoot." Johnny did this same with varying success. When the season closed, the ex-champ sold the horses to Coburn. The latter went campaigning in the East. The other day Dempsey, just arrived in Gotham, wandered up to Empire City in time to see Dr. Wilson, of the Coburn string, cop a nice little stake. And immediately thereafter Dempsey and Coburn were seen with their heads together. Then the tip went out that the Dempsey colors would once again flash in the Southern California sunlight at the picturesque Tijuana course.

GIBSON GREAT RACE FAN

And here is where Moe Tunney and the "va." enter into the picture. Everyone who knows Billy Gibson, the champion's manager, and even those who have only heard of him, are aware of the fact that "Gib" is a deep-dyed, raving "bug" of the first water. He has done everything that can be done on a race track, played 'em, laid 'em and raced 'em. He'd rather win a bet on a track or have a horse of his win, than to see Tunney win a million-dollar fight. That's hard to believe, but "Gib" will tell you so himself.

So, as the story goes, Tunney and Gibson have been inseparable companions of president "Jim" Coffroth's during the latter's present stay in New York (where by the way, he is singing the siren song to the big-millionaire horse owners re the two-million-dollar meeting), and "Gib" has caught the racing bug again, and if Jack Dempsey, ex-champion, on this chair, let her go and may the best man—horse win."

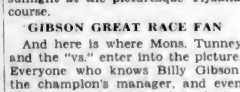
Adjoined Annual Hockey Meeting Is Called for Tonight

The adjourned annual meeting of the Victoria Amateur Hockey League will be held in the Chamber of Commerce tonight at 8 o'clock. All clubs are requested to have delegates present.

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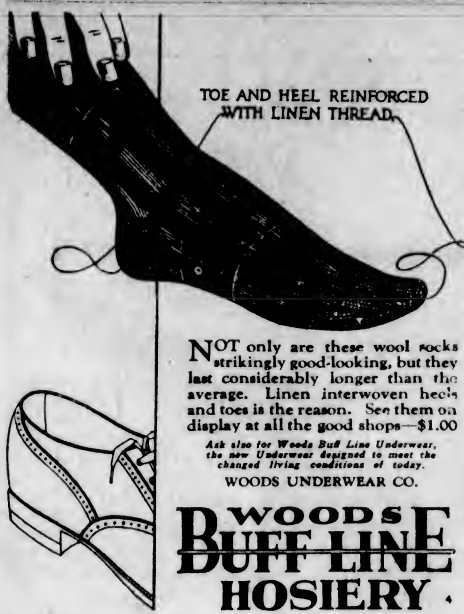
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Comox Possesses Attractions of Wonderful Beauty

By XOLA—THE CHALCAN

Comox, on the east side of Vancouver Island, roughly 140 miles north of Victoria, or nearly half way up the eastern coast. The name is an abbreviation of the Indian word Komuckway, which, in turn, is the name of that branch of the Yuclataw tribe which had its supreme chieftainship at Euclataw, or Cape Mudge, a few miles south of the famous Seymour Narrows. The Yuclataw tribe seems to have been differentiated from the Indians of the Far North by the physical dividing line of Seymour Narrows. South of Euclataw the tribal relations included the Komuckway, the Quilicum and the Snamimos. There again it seems to have been differentiated from the Cowichans and the Songhees or Songish at Victoria and the Saanich farther west on Vancouver Island. Judged by the development of the northern country since the whites took it over the Yuclataw and the Snamimos had the best of it.

The name Komuckway, in the Indian tongue, meant "plenty," "abundance," "riches." The name Comox, shortened into English, means no less. To the Indians it must have meant abundance of fish in the Puntledge river and in Comox Bay, plenty of game in the modest hills

and among the dense backwoods around. To the super-imposed white settlers it means an incomparable region, rich in agricultural production of every kind with inexhaustible mineral resources, and all but inexhaustible timber reserves. It is one of the most prosperous, contented and, socially, self-contained communities in all British Columbia if you take the entire Comox Valley into the reckoning.

The first white settlers to locate in the Valley were sent up from Victoria on H.M. gunboat Grappler in 1862, Governor Douglas having requested the courtesy of transportation over the long distance intervening between there and Victoria. Exactly how many or who comprised this initial party it is difficult to ascertain. Judged, however, by developments in the settlement forty years ago the company would comprise the Duncan and Dingwall families from Shetland, the McPhersons, the Percys and possibly Alex. Urquhart from Scotland, though it is probable the latter arrived later. Why these newcomers should have selected Comox as their objective when Saanich was open for settlement and there was vast agricultural space between the south end of Vancouver Island and the chosen paradise must be left for psychiatrists to decide, but it is obvious now that they made no mistake.

COUNTING REVOLUTIONS

Forty years ago we reached Comox by steamer from Victoria through the channels of the Gulf Islands and by the inland passage to Nanaimo, where a lay-over for a night was the regular schedule. Next day the ship would resume her journey northward, halting to put off or take on casual passengers or small parcels en route at Nanaimo Bay, Qualicum, Englishman's River and Panny Bay. Then Denman Island was touched, where settlement already was considerable. The steamer would round the point at Union Bay and Comox would warp into sight. The old Yosemite beams marked this trip and the traps that made this trip and the equally old Amelia another. Both were sidewheel steamers and the steady thrashing of their walking-beams marked their progress on the placid route. Substituting for them at times was the old Isobel, also a sidewheel ship, but of more antiquated type. The cylinder of its engine having an oscillating movement with down stroke only. Sometimes, when starting, the cylinder would buck on the centre and then there was mischief to pay in tide-rips at landings. It used to be indescribably interesting to stand with the captain in the pilot house when there was a fog in Baynes Sound, which was not infrequently in Spring and Fall. Finding Denman wharf was no joke and leaving it was much worse. From Denman to Union Bay, calculated by revolutions of the paddle wheels and to indicate these there was a huge dial in the pilot house on which a moving finger marked the revolutions. Setting his course from Denman the captain would growl, "Stand by there now and count the revolutions like a good fellow. When you get to sixty-eight sing out." At that number of turns of the wheels he would alter his course a point and tell you to count some more; then another slight alteration in the course. If the tide was strong usually Isobel would make it, but if otherwise dead reckoning was to be used. Isobel would pile herself on a ledge and hang there on a receding tide. Nothing could injure Isobel, however, her timbers being two feet thick; only the obtruding rocks would suffer. At low tide passengers would climb down a rope ladder and walk the ledge to land, where they would amuse themselves digging clams, potting blue jays or chasing crabs along the slimy shore. In twelve hours Isobel would float again and resume her journey, coming in on the white wings of peace, only about that much late. This happened not once, but several times with Isobel. The other ships seemed more fortunate; the cylinders didn't stick. The Robert Dunsmuir, Captain William Rogers, owner and master, was another of these early ships, but her course was from West Westminster by way of Nanaimo. Sometimes, when



Red Grange, world famous football star, achieves a cane! He says he has always wanted to carry one, but was too shy. He can carry it now, but is not so keen about the injured leg as he once was.

competition was keen, one could get from Nanaimo to Comox or vice versa by a negligible consideration. Many people took advantage of such opportunities, but they profited little, for once they were at one end of the route they had to pay as much to get back as the round trip would have cost in the first place.

Rounding Jack's Point at Union Bay, however, the sight was worth while. There in the distance standing at the edge of a magnificent sweep of sloping cleared land stood the old village of Comox. The wharf is long, but at its land end the Elk Hotel invited and welcomed guests. Two big stores, one conducted by J. B. Holmes and the other by Joseph McPherson, the latter Hotel run by Sam Cliffe, a fine dwelling, used as a boarding house for "select" guests, the property of William Beckenhill, a carpenter, a desultory building or two, Robt's Manor House and wide glebe of rich farm land with its barns and orchards; that was Comox. The modern Elk Hotel has become a popular summer resort; J. B. Holmes still resides there. Joseph McPherson moved his store later to Courtenay, where it became a department store; the old-timers are gone to their long sleep. Thursdays were boat days and consequently the day of the town of Comox was there and some from as far as Black Creek. Sail boats, too, came from adjacent points; it was a gala day. The post office was in McPherson's store after a change of Government took it away from Holmes. Sam Cliffe was Government Agent, William F. Drabble, Justice of the Peace; W. W. Bentley, retired, all departed long years ago. It is lonely up there now to an old man who, though old Comox has a present population of three hundred or more souls.

THE INDIAN VILLAGE

Going up the valley the first interesting memorial of old times is the Indian Rancher, where the Komuckway tribe had their habitat. Judged by the number of commodious slab houses they must have been once a remarkable people. But forty years ago they had dwindled and the war-whoop was heard no longer in the land. Potlatches, however, recurred frequently and they were a real sight for sore eyes.

Past the rancher one sees Matthewson's farm, next Alex. Urquhart's homestead, still held by himself; then the Duncan demesne, all magnificent agricultural properties and in better condition today than ever. From here the heart of the Comox Valley entered. Here also are the two ancient churches, Presbyterian and Anglican. What names cluster round the memory of the old farms and ranches. Piercey's, several families of them; Grieves, Dingwalls, Parkins, Bridges, Kerby, Carwithens and several others. William Halliday taught school. Rev. A. Fraser was Presbyterian minister and Rev. Jules X. Willemar, Anglican priest. Only a few remain, but most of them have left descendants, whom the charm of the outside world could not lure away.

Still farther up the valley is the Soldier Settlement named Merville, founded in 1919-20 on lands logged off by the Comox Logging Company, which began operations more than thirty years ago. Operating under the Provincial Land Settlement Board, the soldier community comprises a population of over 200 Urquhart brothers, both of whom industry and thrift. An immense area of logged-off lands intervene between this and Oyster River and even on to Campbell River, and a vast acreage of fine timber obtains, notwithstanding several disastrous forest fires during the last ten years. All these logged off lands will be settled in the next generation provided the fires did not entirely destroy the soil surface quality.

THE MODERN COURTESY

Courtesy, the bright, enterprising and modern capital of this whole district, was unthought of forty years ago. It now is an incorporated city with a population of 1,000, having its own waterworks and electric lighting system. Within its present limits the only hint of a future forty years ago was a sawmill owned and operated by Urquhart Brothers, both of whom were bachelors and whose house was kept by their then aged mother. But Courtesy was made necessary by the bidding of a road to connect the rich agricultural territory with the new market afforded by the founding of Cumberland after the establishment of the collieries at that place ten miles away. Cumberland is not part of this story, but it gave promise of becoming an active and populous mining town as early as 1888.

Outcrops of coal were found along the banks of the Puntledge River by P. J. Leech in 1864, similar outcrops having been noted earlier by

me is why none of us attempted to stop the bar when it began to roll. And, after that, why it missed the first man, taking only his pipe, and why it struck the last man with that staggering blow that ended in a fatality. Perhaps I may be a fatalist. I do not know.

CROWD ATTENDS BENEFIT FROLIC

First Annual "Automotive Trades" Jollification at Crystal Garden. Attracts 2,500

About 2,500 people pressed their way into the Crystal Garden last evening to share in the round of merriment devised at the Automotive Trades First Annual Frolic in aid of the Queen Alexandra Solarium.

Everything went with a flourish. The aquatic exhibition by Mrs. Robt. Henderson and Mrs. Steele, Arthur Stott and Bill Clark, was the sensation of the early part of the evening, the events being run through in snappy and spectacular fashion, which kept the spectators in a state of high excitement and uproarious applause. Mesdames Hiberson and Steele gave a splendid display of water acrobatics, including rolling, turning somersaults backwards and forwards, both in singles and doubles; and these stunts were varied with submarine features, cart-wheels, "log" rolling in which the "log" was a human being, etc., etc. The two big screens were dropped from the ceiling for the water polo demonstration, another exhibition in fast water movement and expert aquatic technique. After the two ladies concluded their duet of feature play, there was an exhibition of high and fancy diving and various circus acts by Arthur Stott, Mrs. Hiberson and Bill Clark. The announcer, who won general approval by the clear resonant way in which he spoke, left the minimum of time between the features, about fifteen items being presented in less than ten minutes.

Once the aquatic exhibition was over the crowd dispersed to various other diversions. Simultaneously two orchestras played for dancing at opposite ends of the Garden, the Crystal Garden seven-piece orchestra at the south end and Len Acres' seven-piece orchestra at the north. While this was in progress, a modern Monte Carlo was going on downstairs, where millions of hopes changed hands in a few minutes in the Solarium Bank of Sunshine. A "House-House" was one of the most popular features in this department of the frolic, although pandemonium prevailed around other nuclei of interest which could not even be investigated owing to the dense press of excited onlookers and participants in the various games. A thrilling and utterly innocuous horse race conducted by Messrs. Cracknell, Frank Cameron, A. T. Weight, George Moly and Cecil Eve periodically created the night's best uproar, invariably being succeeded by a stampede for the Solarium Bank or the refreshment counter.

The affair continued with unabated zest until 11 o'clock. The winner of the tombola was Mr. S. Brauer, holder of ticket No. 3313, the drawing being done by Miss White.

Jno. J. Mitchell Estate

CHICAGO, Nov. 9.—John J. Mitchell, noted banker killed ten days ago in an automobile accident which also cost the life of his wife, divided an estate of \$6,000,000 equally among his five children, after a few minor bequests while Mrs. Mitchell made the same disposal of her estate of \$250,000.

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TORONTO, Nov. 9.—By the time-worn use of marked money, Toronto police this afternoon trapped three men, who they assert conspired to sell brass shavings as gold. The complainant was Harry Skup, jeweler. Detectives made the arrests after they had witnessed what they said was a sale to Skup. The suspects are John Tarabaa, Nick Selack and John Tyminski. Skup declared the men had posed as miners from Timmins and had offered him a fine powder-like gold which was really brass shavings.

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Blackheads—big ones or little ones—soft ones or hard ones—on any part of the body go quickly by a simple method that just dissolves them. To do this get about two ounces of persine powder from your druggist—sprinkle a little on a hot, wet cloth—rub over the blackheads briskly for a few seconds—and wash off. You'll wonder where the blackheads have gone. Persine and aqueous blackheads only open the pores of the skin and leave them large and unattractive—while the simple application of persine powder and the water dissolves them right out, leaving the skin soft and the pores in their natural condition. (Advt.)

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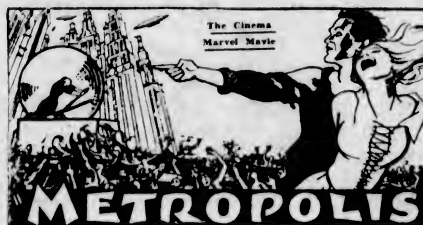
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"In Painted Ponies," Rough Rider
Star Hits Climax of Cow-
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Hoot Gibson is now at the Col-
umbia Theatre in what is considered
to be the biggest hit of his career
as a movie cowboy. It is said that in
"Painted Ponies," Hoot does so many
daring stunts on the backs of buck-
ing animals that he proves again
and again his right to the laurels as
a cowboy champion.

Much of the film was made at the
famous rodeo at Saugus, California,
where cowboy prodigies in all
branches of dare-devilry are seen in
camera shots that have created wide
comment for their unusual thrillo-
rifics. Hoot himself, who plays the role
of Bucky Simms, champion cowboy
of the North, dropping into Top-
town to compete for the hair-raising
trick riding of his own.

As the story starts, Bucky gets into
trouble about the television, and he
gets into town for it is no small
crime in Toptown for any stranger to
fall in love with a girl—not while
Radio Pete, the bully, is breathing
and shoots for it midtown.

CAPITOL Seeing over the tele-
vision, or "television," as it is called, was
recently demonstrated in the New
York laboratories of the American
Telephone and Telegraph Company
before an audience of newspaper
writers and scientists. The film
that visualized "television" long be-
fore the actual demonstration was
"Metropolis," a remarkable German
production featuring the fantastic
possibilities of a world a thousand
years from now, which is now show-
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accompany himself with a beautiful
quartet number entitled "Honolulu
Moon" will be sung by Messrs. Con-
yers, Butterworth and Butterworth.
The first named taking the
solo part. A duet consisting of ex-
cerpts from the "Student Prince" will
be sung by Messrs. Kelway and
Butterworth. Lou Conyers will ren-
der the well-known popular song,
"Me and My Shadow." "Oh, Dem
Golden Kippers," an obvious parody
on the popular nigger ditty, will be
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favorites and many of more recent
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lent aggregation of instrumentalists
who will compose the orchestra.

The Kiwanis Minstrel Show will be
given in the Royal Victoria Theatre
on November 21, 22 and 23, the pro-
ceeds to be earmarked for Kiwanis
objects.

Coliseum Offers

First-Class Comedy

Starting Monday

The management of the Coliseum

Theatre has announced that there will

be a complete change of policy

starting next week. Ray Bell's Stock

Company will open on Monday, No-

vember 14, with a new production

from long runs in many cities.

They will present the very best in

three-act comedy-dramas, each run-

ning for 14, 15 or 16 nights, and

each a good clean complete play of

the better sort. Correct staging,

beautiful costumes, with unlimited

feature picture offerings which will

be of the very best that can be ob-

tained.

Hilarious Farce

Will Be Presented

At Crystal Garden

A hotel corridor at 8:30 a. m. is

the scene of this comedy that the

Co-Optimist Players will provide as

Friday Popular Night concert, at

the Crystal Garden. This is an

adaptation of a play which has run

with tremendous success over two

continents, and it is not only brim-

ful of queerly unexpected situa-

tions, but the dialogue is particu-

larly witty and clever. The cast

includes Mr. and Mrs. Legge-Willis,

Sturrock, Mrs. Iona Robert-

son and Mr. Richard Blomfield.

The play will be preceded and fol-

lowed by the usual musical programme

by the Crystal Garden Concert Or-

chestra. Afterwards the entire au-

diences is invited to adjourn to the

south ballroom, where dancing will

continue until midnight.

AUSTRALIAN LINE

LOSS STARTLING

Premier Bruce Says \$595,000 Deficit

Good Grounds for Disposal of

Fleet

MELBOURNE, Australia, Nov. 9.

(Vancouver Province Cable).—

Replying to the motion of censure

moved by the Labor leader, Stan-

ley Bruce, federal Prime Minister,

stressed the heavy annual losses on

the Commonwealth Shipping Line

which was the subject of the censure

motion.

Premier Bruce said that last year

the loss on the line was \$595,000.

The government would, he said,

dispose of the line, subject to the

condition that it remain on the

British Empire Register. The suc-

cessful tenderer must agree to

maintain it for ten years' service

for the carriage of mails, passen-

gers and cargo, equivalent to the

present service rendered by the

line. Preference would be given to

the tenderer offering the best con-

ditions regarding refrigerated

space.

Union Bay Shipping

UNION BAY, Nov. 9.—Shipping

was a little more active during the

last week at the port, probably ow-

ing to the activity of the grain-

carrying boats.

On Sunday night the Ss. Meropi,

Captain Arkwright, loaded 500 tons

of bunks. Tuesday the Ss. Phae-

pool, Captain Tate, took about 600

tons of bunker coal, and both sailed

for the United Kingdom.

Captain Tate, of the Phae-

pool, had the honor of being the first

ship to load grain at Prince Rupert,

and was presented with a fountain

pen by the Prince Rupert Board of

Trade.

Today's Radio

Programme of Principal
Broadcasting Stations

By Courtesy of Radio Dolan

C.P.T., Victoria, B.C. (413.5m)—8 a. m.

New York stock quotations, 8:30 a. m.

What's doing in town, 7:30. West Coast

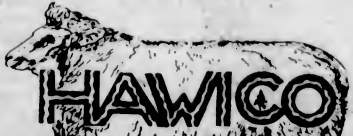
Information Service: weather reports and

forecast.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (366m)—4:30 a.

p. m. After Maclean, soprano. Telenor</

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Hallowe'en Party
Held at Galiano

GALIANO ISLAND, Nov. 9.—A jolly Hallowe'en party was held at the Galiano Hall, when Miss Eva Ambrose entertained her pupils, their parents and friends at a fancy dress party. Mrs. A. Lord, as a Jack Tar, Mr. Miller Higgs, as a Mr. Harris, at the piano, helped to entertain the children. Mrs. Harris and Mr. A. Lord acted as judges for the fancy dress prizes, which were won by Miss B. Lord and Master R. Hume as Hallowe'en and a Hallowe'en elf respectively.

Among the guests were Mrs. Miller Higgs, Mrs. P. Stenhouse, Mrs. Horyet, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Denroche, Mrs. Egan, Mrs. Scoones, Mrs. Gilmour, Mrs. New, assisting the hostesses were Mrs. Lord, Mrs. Twiss and many others.

Shower at Chemainus

CHEMAINUS, Nov. 9.—In honor of Miss Louise Cook, Mrs. Thomas Porter entertained at a tea and miscellaneous shower on Saturday afternoon. After tea had been served, a large decorated basket was brought in filled with a collection of ornamental and useful articles. This was presented to Miss Cook by two little granddaughters of Mrs. Porter. The invited guests included Mrs. Cook, Miss Cook, Mrs. H. E. Troop, Mrs. M. G. Troop, Mrs. Corbin, Mrs. Gregory, Mrs. Bain, Mrs. J. F. Rumble, Mrs. F. Thicke, Mrs. H. G. Brown, Mrs. W. Southin, Mrs. H. G. Southin, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. F. Reed, Mrs. A. V. Porter, Mrs. McInnes, Mrs. Borde, Mrs. Gordon Cook, Mrs. F. Work, Mrs. W. Gathart, Miss Grace McInnes, Miss Brooks, Miss Ella, Muriel and Lillian Porter.

Vancouver Island
BARKLEY SOUND
FISHING GOOD

 INDUSTRY ENJOYS MOST RE-
 MARKABLE YEAR FOR ALL
 VARIETIES

 Over Thousand Fishermen in Al-
 bern District Benefit—Fishing
 Business Growing Rapidly

PORT ALBERNI, Nov. 9.—This has been a remarkable year in the fishing industry on Barkley Sound and the Alberni Canal. More fish of all and every kind have been caught than in any previous year in the history of the district. During the sockeye season in June over eighty gill net fishermen were kept busy, to say nothing of many seine boat operators. The spring salmon run to the Sonias River was the best in years and the fishermen benefited accordingly.

The chum salmon run went away over the top. Over a million and a quarter of these fish were taken. Some were canned, some were dried and frozen and hundreds of boats and fishermen were kept busy. The pickard season has also exceeded last year's record by a considerable margin—a margin it is understood, which goes into the hundreds of thousands of gallons.

The herring fishing has started with better promise than for many years. It is estimated that six times as many tons of herring will be caught as at this time last year.

Altogether this has been the most prosperous year in the history of the industry. Over 1,000 men are engaged. A new feature of these operations has been the shipping of fresh and cured fish by carload through the port of Port Alberni to eastern points.

This would seem to point to a new industry for the city of Port Alberni. It has long been felt that there is room and need for a cold storage plant here, where the independent fisherman could store his fresh fish and ship to eastern points in carload lots.

The Millard Packing Company, Limited, who purchased the old Watson cannery at Port Alberni some two years ago, have started operations. They have already packed over 600 tons of chum salmon and now they have their tanks ready for the herring season. By the month of March next they expect to have in full swing a fully equipped and modern cannery. This addition to the industries of Port Alberni is very welcome. Mr. Mark Gosse, one of the best known fish men on the West Coast, is in charge, he having replaced Mr. W. J. Jefferson about a week ago. Mr. Jefferson has been called north.

Leave to Appeal
To Supreme Court
Of Canada Refused

VANCOUVER, Nov. 9.—Leave was refused by the Court of Appeal in Hughes vs. Beban, a Vancouver Island case, to appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada.

Chief Justice Macdonald stated there were no special circumstances which justified sending the case to the Supreme Court of Canada. He added that the amount involved was \$1,000 and the dispute concerned a small quantity of timber.

At the trial before Mr. Justice Morrison, the plaintiff was awarded damages in an action for trespass in respect of forty acres between Lady-smith and Extension.

NANAIMO PIONEER
CROSSES DIVIDE

Mrs. Lucy Sabiston, Sixty-Five-
 Year Resident, Dies Suddenly—
 Sister of Late Mark Bate

NANAIMO, Nov. 9.—The death occurred at her home last evening of Mrs. Lucy Sabiston, eighty-four, following a residence in Nanaimo of sixty-five years. She had been in failing health for some time, but her sudden death last evening was quite unexpected, and came just after she had retired to her room for the night. Mrs. Sabiston was born in Harthill, Dudley, England, and came to Nanaimo on the Princess Royal in 1862. She was a sister of the late Mark Bate, whose death occurred recently in England, and whose funeral was so largely attended upon the remains being brought to Nanaimo for interment. Mrs. Sabiston was the last of the elder Bate family, but is survived by a large number of nieces and nephews in Nanaimo. Pending funeral arrangements, the remains repose at the P. J. Jenkins, Ltd., undertaking parlors.

Poppy Ball Will
Be Held at Sooke
On Armistice Day

SOOKE, Nov. 9.—The Sooke branch of the Canadian Legion will hold its usual poppy ball on Armistice evening, November 11, in Sooke Hall. Card tables have been arranged for those not engaged in dancing. All arrangements are under the auspices of the B. E. S. L.

MEMORIAL SERVICE
HELD AT CHEMAINUS

Local Organizations Fully Represented—Religious Ceremony Commemorating Armistice

CHEMAINUS, Nov. 9.—On Sunday afternoon an Armistice memorial service was held at Chemainus for its regular monthly meeting. There was a good attendance, various local organizations being present, including the Porter Chapter, I.O.D.E., the Girl Guides under their captain, Mrs. Ross, the Brownies, the Scouts, under the leadership of Mr. Brown, and the W. G. Cubs. An interval during the service a number of addresses were laid on the War Memorial, beside which the service was held. These included addresses from the previously mentioned organizations. Rev. E. M. Cook and Rev. B. E. Spurling officiated at the service. The latter offered up a prayer and benediction, while Mr. Cook delivered an appropriate address. The hymns sung were, "O God, Our Help in Ages Past," "O Valley Heart," and "From Ocean unto Ocean." The singing of "O Canada" opened the service, which concluded with the National Anthem.

STREET REPAIRS ARE
ISSUE AT NANAIMO

City Council Busy With Complaints and Requests—Work Being Taken in Hand

NANAIMO, Nov. 9.—At a meeting of the City Council here last night Public Works Manager Shepherd reported expenditure on streets during the past week of \$302.82 and on waterworks \$96.21.

The council in committee reported concerning a complaint received some time ago from A. E. Plante, Limited, of gravel breaking windows on their property facing the Victoria Road and Nicol Street. The report was to the effect that while the Council realized the necessity of hard-surfacing this portion of the streets, it would be impossible to do it this year, but in the meantime they had given instructions to the city manager to have the street cleared as much as possible of small gravel and stones, and recommended that hard-surfacing be carried out here early next year.

A complaint was received from the residents of Skinner Street asking for repairs to be made to that thoroughfare.

Royston Girl Guides

ROYSTON BEACH, Nov. 9.—The annual general meeting of the Royston Girl Guides was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. Watson. The following officers were re-elected: Mrs. Greig, president; Mrs. J. Idiens, vice-president, and Mrs. S. Watson, secretary-treasurer. A very satisfactory report of the past year's activities was presented, and further plans for this year will be discussed at the next meeting.

FAREWELL PARTY

SOOKE, Nov. 9.—A party of about twenty-five guests assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour on Monday evening to bid farewell to Mrs. Seymour and Mrs. Page, who are leaving on Thursday for Quebec, whence they will depart for England.

DEEP COVE PARTY

DEEP COVE, Nov. 9.—The usual weekly card party of the Deep Cove Social Club was held in its hall on Monday evening, with six tables. The ladies' first prize, donated by Mrs. Quatremaine, was won by Mrs. Patterson, and the gentlemen's was won by Mr. Gush.

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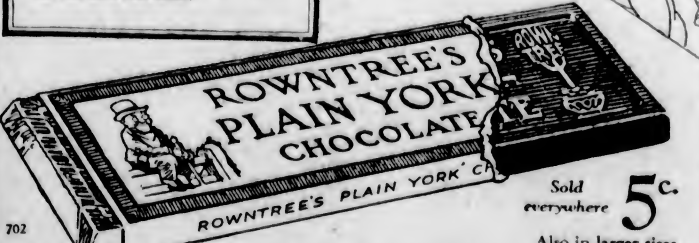
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METCHOSIN RID
OF SHEEP-KILLER

"Cougar" Smith Accounts for Large Male Debit With Much Destruction Among Flocks

METCHOSIN, Nov. 9.—A large cougar was shot on Friday evening on Field Bros' farm by Mr. Smith, the hunter employed by the Game Board, who comes from Courtenay.

COURTENTAY, Nov. 9.—A large cougar, a five-year-old male, is on view in the window of a Union Street hardware store. The animal was shot by Mr. Cecil Smith at Metchosin where it is said to have accounted for nearly 250 sheep. Mr. Smith, known as "Cougar Smith," who has killed hundreds of panthers in this district, was sent for by the Game Board. A meeting of the sheep farmers in the Metchosin district revealed the fact that 250 sheep had been killed within the year, of which Mr. Smith attributes by far the greater portion to the animal just killed; although some of the sheep are said to have been taken by bears. The big cat was shot by the light of a flashlight when on the way to the flock of Monna, Field Bros. Mr. Butler, secretary of the Game Conservation Board was instrumental in getting this marauder disposed of.

Work Progresses on
Hornby Island Hall

HORNBY ISLAND, Nov. 9.—Work on the Community Hall is still going steadily ahead. Last Saturday a bazaar was arranged by Miss Macrone, who had collected a wonderful selection of fancywork contributed by Old Country friends. The stalls were daintily arranged, and as a result some \$132 was realized, which Miss Macrone has turned over to the Community Club committee for the purchase of windows, stove, etc. Following the bazaar a dance was held in the schoolroom, the piano being loaned for the occasion by Mr. Manning, who with Mrs. William

Harwood provided the music. A shingling bee is arranged for next Saturday on the Community Hall, the ladies of the Women's Institute providing the lunch for the workers. The institute is also getting busy on the Christmas tree fund, and already \$45 has been raised for that annual project.

Duncan Is Busy on
Improving Streets

DUNCAN, Nov. 8.—Petitions have been received by the Duncan City Council for the construction of concrete sidewalks under the local improvement plan, on the west side of Canada Avenue from Station Street to Trunk Road, and on the east side of King's Road from First Street to Third Street. Both petitions have been approved by the Council. About eight hundred feet of sidewalk is involved. The Council has already over a mile and a half of concrete sidewalks under construction by T. F. Alexander, of Victoria. The Council has also let a contract to Mr. Ben Churchill for cutting down Duncan's Hill on Ringing Road and the widening of that street from Duncan Street to Ypres Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Peters and Miss Peters were visitors to the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Patterson, Telegraph Road, during the week-end.

Armistice Service
At Patricia Bay

PATRICIA BAY, Nov. 9.—A very large congregation attended the special Armistice service held at Holy Trinity Church on Sunday morning. Rev. Thomas M. Hughes, the rector, conducted the service and Rev. St. John Payne preached an eloquent sermon on the blessings of the peace-makers. Mrs. Barker, of Victoria, presided at the organ.

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Tributes Paid to Captain J. W. Troup for Up-building of B.C. Coast Steamship Service—Luncheon Gives Opportunity to Praise Fine Vessel Now Building

Full Description of New Vessel for Vancouver-Nanaimo Motor Traffic

After a morning of heavy rain, the weather cleared just prior to the launch of the Princess Elaine, which vessel took the water in bright sunshine on October 26 at Clydebank, Scotland. The ceremony was held for half-past twelve, but ten minutes before the scheduled time the vessel was named and successfully launched, and shortly afterwards was towed into the builders' dock, according to the Glasgow correspondent of The Journal of Commerce, London and Liverpool. Part of his article follows:

At the luncheon, Sir Thomas Bell, K.B.E., managing director at Clydebank, was in the chair, and the Canadian Pacific guests included, in addition to Mrs. Stockwell Day, Sir George McLaren Brown, K.B.E. (European general manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company), Mr. J. A. Martin (London manager, Canadian Pacific Steamships, Limited), Mr. H. G. Dring and Miss Dring, Miss Bell, Mr. W. A. Mc-

Adam (Acting Agent-General for British Columbia), and Mrs. McAdam, Mr. J. Edward Sears, Dr. and Mrs. C. S. Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Macdonald, Major and Mrs. M. L. Duffy. Representing the builders were Mr. John Black, Mr. Donald Skirvington, Mr. John Paterson, Mr. S. J. Pigott, Mr. J. A. Rankin, Commander W. H. Wood, Mr. J. B. Henderson and Mr. W. Ford.

Sir Thomas Bell, in introducing the proceedings, paid tribute to the way in which Mrs. Stockwell Day had performed her part of the launching ceremony.

OF SPECIAL DESIGN

The Princess Elaine, as they would have seen, said Sir Thomas Bell, was a handsome triple-screw vessel of a special design embodying the views and experience of Captain Troup, who had supervised the management of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's coastal service of steamers with remarkable success ever since the launch of the first vessel. The ship had a unique grasp and experience of the ever-growing passenger and freight requirements of the British Columbia coast, where he was well known and so deservedly respected, and they all regretted very much that they were not having the pleasure of his company on the occasion. (Hear, hear.)

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Roller Bearings on Six New Cars

Equipped with roller bearings, six new seventy-seven-foot steel dining cars, costing approximately \$60,000 each, will be placed in service by the Southern Pacific Railway during December, according to Mr. E. J. Hendry, Canadian general agent for the company.

"The new cars," Mr. Hendry said, "will be the finest and most costly yet built for service in the West. As a trial of the desirability of roller bearings under the conditions of Western railroad travel, we are employing three different types of bearings, each type being fitted to two cars."

"Whereas trying out the roller bearings thoroughly, it is one to assure continuance of Western leadership in travel, comfort and safety."

Finished throughout in Cuban mahogany, the interior decorations of the new cars will be typically Western in spirit, the chairs are to be upholstered in Spanish leather, and the cars will accommodate thirty-six persons at a sitting.

COWICHAN BAY, Nov. 9.—The freighter Horace X. Baxter, of San Francisco, departed for California at 7 o'clock Tuesday evening with a full cargo of lumber. The motor launch Type, of Victoria, was anchored in the bay during the week-end.

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the cities of Vancouver and Nanaimo, had been until recently carried on by the Princess Patricia, a handsome, speedy vessel of 1,150 tons, which was formerly the well-known Clyde turbine steamer Queen Alexandra. The Canadian Pacific Railway, however, was never content to stand still. It was always moving on, so the Princess Elaine was about double the tonnage of her predecessor, with corresponding engine power.

Undoubtedly the Princess Elaine compares with the finest and largest train ferries in other parts of the world. He believed the largest train between Sweden and Germany.

A FINE SERVICE

Sir George McLaren Brown, who acknowledged, said that launches of Canadian Pacific ships under construction in this country had been coming so fast and furiously these days, Sir Thomas had referred to his old friend and colleague Captain Troup, and had told them that the Princess Elaine was the latest addition to what was today a most wonderful Pacific craft service.

By way of setting back to back the accommodation in a Pullman train. The dimensions of the seats and spacing has been adjusted so that at any time it is desired to alter the accommodation into sleeping compartments it can be done with the minimum of addition. A few staterooms are built at the aft end of this deck, and over a hundred can sit down at one time. The fittings and equipment, including the accommodation for officers and crew, is on the elaborate style usual on this service.

The Princess Elaine has the smart appearance which is characteristic of the earlier Princesses. She has three funnels and two pole masts with wireless.

The ship's side windows through the closed part of the upper deck to the main deck. She will have a searchlight forward for use when entering port or navigating narrow waters.

OIL FUEL CAPACITY

Her oil fuel capacity is such that she will be able to carry oil for the voyage from the Clyde to Victoria via the Panama Canal. It will be noted from the breadth at the water line and main deck, that the vessel is of a type which is well adapted to the requirements of the Canadian steamship service and to the needs of the coast.

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Launching of New Gulf Ferry Steamer



THE PRINCESS ELAINE

CANADIAN WINNER ON NEW SCHEDULE

During Winter C.G.M.M. Fleet Will Make Four Sailings a Month to Atlantic Seaboard

Inaugurating the Winter schedule of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine Limited, from Victoria and Vancouver to the Atlantic seaboard via the West Indies, the S.S. Canadian Winner will sail from Vancouver on Friday with a full cargo of lumber, canned salmon, flour, rice and general cargo.

Four monthly sailings are listed in the schedule issued by the local office commencing with the Winner, which will make her first call at Kingston, Jamaica.

This year a new departure is being offered in that all the vessels will port en route to Eastern Canada. Depending upon the opening of navigation on the St. Lawrence River, the last two or three days of the month of March, sailing from this port may be offered with a boat late in that month for Quebec and Montreal, starting the Spring schedule.

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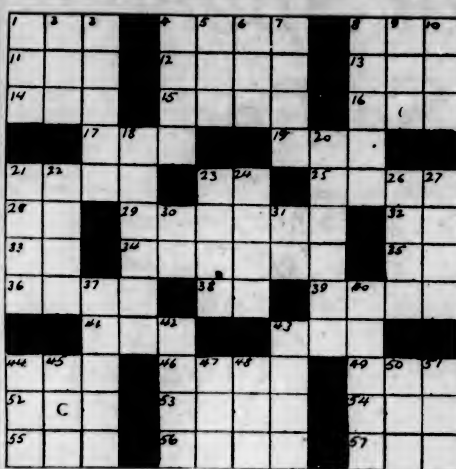
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The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



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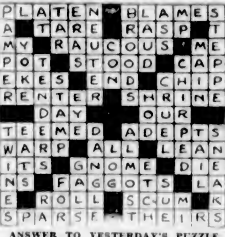
1. Prussian resort.
2. A month.
3. Luck up.
4. Ireland.
5. Girl's name.
6. Change color.
7. Direction.
8. Abstract conception of being.
9. Limb.
10. Mineral spring.
11. Molding.
12. Railroad (ab.).
13. End of a prayer.
14. A news organization (ab.).
15. Spread.
16. Behold.
17. Sun god.
18. Divisions of a team.
19. Thus.
20. You.
21. Compass point.
22. Paradise.
23. Proper name.
24. River.
25. Red Sea port.
26. Tear.
27. Exist.
28. Saucy.
29. Prefix: three.
30. Footlike organ.
31. Dry.
32. Underline.

DOWN

1. Yore.
2. A month.
3. Weapon.
4. Consider.
5. Constellation.
6. It is.

DOWN

7. Insects.
8. Vision.
9. Affirmative.
10. Improper.
11. Goes by.
12. Small pie.
13. Kind of fish.
14. Portuguese money.
15. Uncommon.
16. Molding.
17. Midday.
18. Greek letter.
19. Prefix: again.
20. Wind instruments.
21. Moves swiftly.
22. Bugle call.
23. Preliminary bet.
24. Strike.
25. Anger.
26. English river.
27. Make a mistake.
28. Man's name.
29. Spot on a playing card.



ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

CHARACTERS IN COMICS REAL

Author of Gasoline Alley Divulges Secret of Where He Gets All of His Ideas

IMAGINATION IS NECESSARY, TOO

By FRANK KING

Where do I get my ideas? I sit down and tune in and try to catch them as they go past. There are loads of ideas everywhere, but you must be tuned to receive them. Some come from real life direct. Most situations, however, are evolved by putting imaginary characters in possible situations and imagining what the result would be. By trying this over and over, if the mind is right, if the magnetic currents are favorable and the barometer is K., a usable idea may be produced. If it has enough human nature in it, it is good—otherwise not.

The habit of observation is the important thing, both as regards ideas and drawing.

My Skeezix is five years too old. He is nine years of age and I have to

IF BACK HURTS FLUSH KIDNEYS

Drink Plenty Water and Take Glass of Salts Before Breakfast Occasionally

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys lean like you keep your bowels lean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salts which helps to remove the body's urinous waste and stimulate them to their normal activity.

The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drink lots of good water—you can't drink too much; also get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts. Take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and our kidneys may then act fine.

This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help clean and stimulate clogged kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in the system so they are no longer a source of irritation, thus often relieving ladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to help keep their kidneys lean and active. Try this; also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache. (Adv.)

GASOLINE ALLEY



POLLY AND HER PALS

Now for the Ship and Safety

By Cliff Sterrett



TILLIE THE TOILER

It's No Laughing Matter to Mac

By Westover



S'MATTER POP

Pop Is, However

By C. M. Payne



Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK MCCOY

ACNE AND BLACKHEADS

Acne Vulgaris is the name of the common form of acne, which is characterized by pimples and blackheads appearing principally on the face, back and chest. This is an unsightly trouble, and will continue to persist if only local measures are used in treating it.

There are several factors which have an effect in producing this trouble. Wherever pimples or acne appear there is an inflammation of the sebaceous glands, just under the skin. This inflammation is caused principally from a toxic condition of the blood. Certain poisons from auto-intoxication and intestinal putrefaction are responsible for this chemical irritation.

It is evident that the tallow-like material which stuffs up in these glands must come from the use of too much greasy food.

There is no question but that this trouble is made more serious if the skin is not kept as clean as possible. Frequent washing of the skin with plain soap and water will prevent development of any more pimples and blackheads, and will assist in cleansing the skin of those already formed.

Constipation may be cited as one of the principal causes of skin diseases. This is not always due to the fact that poisons are retained in the skin, but when one suffers from constipation it also indicates that the elimination of the toxins from the tissues of the body have not been complete.

To overcome this tendency it is

necessary to go to the toilet at regular times, and to use more of the non-starchy vegetables, both in salad and cooked form, in order to give the intestines plenty of bulk to eliminate the more concentrated food material and the toxins which accumulate in the intestines.

Skin eruptions of all kinds occur quite frequently with young people between the ages of twelve and fourteen. This is the age of puberty, when the sexual functions are awakening, and if anything interferes with the development of the genital organs the metabolism in the cells may become so perverted that not only acne but also nervousness and anemia may develop. If the proper physical culture regime is followed during this period the generative organs will develop normally, as nature intended.

At any time in life it is always advisable to keep up a daily systematic regime of physical culture exercise, combined with outdoor games or walking several miles daily. All who are troubled with acne will find that it is necessary to do everything to promote the efficiency of the intestines, and physical culture exercise is indispensable in accomplishing this purpose.

Nelson roofs are beautifying. Nelson roofs are permanent. Nelson roofs are economical. Phone: E. E. Health, 874 or 4180.

B.C. Boys Train For Officers in Merchant Marine

By FRANK MCCOY

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 9.—The six British Columbia boys who are training to become officers of the Mercantile Marine on the cadet school ship, H.M.S. Conway, in the Mersey, are making rapid progress, according to a letter received by F. M. Hardie, cashier in the treasurer's office of the Canadian Pacific Railway, at Vancouver, B. C., from the commander of the Conway, Captain F. A. Richardson, D.S.O.

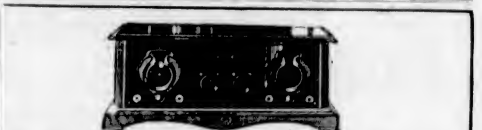
In his letter to Mr. Hardie, who looks after affairs at this end, Captain Richardson says that he hopes to get more and more boys between the ages of thirteen and sixteen from British Columbia, and Canada generally. "The boys from Canada are showing up splendidly," he writes, "and should prove themselves excellent officers in the future." "They prove themselves splendid at healthy sports, and I am hopeful shortly of being able to put up a baseball team picked from British Columbia boys against one composed of boys from the rest of Canada," he adds.

In this connection, it is interesting to note that the Canadian Pacific Steamships, Limited, give a limited number of scholarships of the value of \$300 a year for two years, with the proviso that the boy, after his training on the Conway is finished, remains in the Canadian Pacific Steamships for a period of at least five years, which means that he can act for his second mate's certificate at the end of his third year of actual sea service.

FLOODS IN SWEDEN

GOTHENBURG, Nov. 9.—The Swedish Lake Vanern, the second largest lake in Europe, has risen to a higher level than in 120 years.

Tremendous rains and swollen rivers emptying into the lake have made it inundate the cities of Karlstad and Kristinehamn and are now threatening other towns and villages along the shores.



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Ten improved, unrivalled Victor Northern peanut tubes. Operating cost unbelievably low. Volume tremendous. Tone asks to be heard in comparison with others. Operates on either loop or outdoor aerial.

DISTANCE?—Read this report from near Dawson in the Yukon: "We can get reception here on the loudspeaker during the endless days of the Arctic Summer, when all other sets fail to give forth the faintest sound of music, and in the endless night of our Winter stations roll in from all over—New York, Miami Beach, Los Angeles, Mexico, Honolulu, Australia and even Japanese stations have been heard. We are over 1,500 miles from the nearest broadcast station, and must have a sensitive long range receiver."

If contemplating the purchase of a good radio, in your own interest do not fail to hear the Mercury Super Ten. Write or phone now for the "Story of the Mercury Super Ten"—it is free, and a demonstration in your own home of this set is entirely without obligation.

By far the lowest priced ten-tube set on the market at \$227.50, with tubes and loop aerial.

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"So This Is Marriage"

By JUDITH WEST

THE STORY SO FAR

Judith West scoffs at her friend Vera's prediction that she, Judith, will be back to work within six months after her marriage to Jim Overstreet. "Think of all the time you have put in getting where you are! And remember that housewives are not paid for their services!" Vera has said. Judith, however, sublimely handed in her resignation to Martin Crave. "If anything ever goes wrong you can always come back," he said, and referred graciously to modern marriage. Just as the conference was settling down, Judith's sister, Miss West, came into the office. Jim stiffly informs Crave that "Miss West will never have to take advantage of your generosity." Afterward Jim tells Judith he doesn't like Crave's looks. Judith defends Crave, and already worries to herself about the prospect of having a "lord and master" to pass on her friends. Jim repents, suggests suddenly that they get married immediately.

CHAPTER IV

I have lost two hours out of my life, two waking hours. And I was left the Italian restaurant until we were standing before a tall, kindly-faced man with white hair who was trying desperately to smother his yawns and, at the same time, read something aloud out of a little black book. I shall never know.

But suddenly the tall, white-haired man stopped reading. He looked straight at me and said: "Repeat this after me."

"I, Judith West..."

It was the sound of my own name that recalled me to my senses. I was getting married! And I was promising something or other.

What? I don't know to this day. I remembered only one word of the service. It was a big word: "Covenant." First the preacher said: "When it came time for me to repeat it after him I said it so low that it was scarcely a murmur."

And then, when I had said my little speech, Jim had to repeat something. I listened to his voice. What a fine, manly voice. Sure. Confident.

At last he said the word "Covenant." What did it mean? Didn't I remember hearing it in Sunday school when I was a youngster. "I'll look up that word sometime," I said to myself.

All at once the preacher put my hand in Jim's and then, in a terrible voice as if he were pronouncing a doom, he said: "I pronounce you man and wife."

It was all over. Jim kissed me. The preacher's wife, who had been standing just behind me, kissed me. And the licence clerk kissed me. And then we went out and the preacher and his wife shook hands with us and said they hoped we would be very happy and the licence clerk said something funny, but I've forgotten what it was.

In no time at all we were out in the car and the clerk said: "Just drop me off any old place, Jim."

"I should say not," answered Jim. "We'll take you home. You deserve a medal. We won't forget you, will we, Judy?"

"I should say not," I answered with much feeling, though I hadn't the slightest idea what he was talking about.

All at once it seemed as if I woke from a very realistic dream.

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"Well, Jim," I cried, "we're married, aren't we? Can you believe it? Can you really believe that you and I are actually—married?"

"We certainly are, Judy girl. It wasn't so bad as I thought it would be."

"I should say not. Next time we won't be afraid at all."

"There ain't goin' to be no next time," Jim said laughing and gave my arm a little squeeze.

"And now," I said, "let's go around to my hotel and I'll wake up Jane and tell her the news and grab some clothes." We had dropped the licence clerk at his home and Jim promised him a bottle of pre-war when we got back from the honeymoon.

By this time it was midnight and I knew Jane would be sound asleep. Poor old Jane. She would be awfully lonesome without me. We had been roomies for two years now; she was the sort of girl who needs somebody to lean on. She isn't very strong and the confining work of an insurance office has dragged her down until she has no life left in her.

Jane could be a very attractive girl if she could ever get rested. She is a year younger than I am but she looks thirty-five. When I tip-toed into the little bed above off our sitting room and switched on the light and looked down at her sleeping face I felt selfish in my happiness. Poor old Jane.

"What's wrong? Judy? What's what's wrong?"

"She's asleep in a fog of sleep."

"Wake up, Jane," I cried. "Big news! I've done gone and got married."

"I've had seen, in imagination, the very look that now came into Jane's eyes. A hurt, forlorn look. And how I dreaded it. I threw my arms about her."

"Yes; Jim and I went out and got married—about fifteen minutes ago. All his fault, too, Jane old girl. . . . He just wouldn't wait. . . . I know, Jane, dear. . . . I wanted you, too. . . . but you know how men are. . . . Aw, gee! don't take it so hard, Jane. . . . I'm not dead, you know. . . . and we're going to live right here in the city and you'll have a place to come for dinner. . . . Aw, Jane. . . . don't."

By this time I was sobbing myself. "Hey, there; what's going on?" Jim called from the sitting room.

"Come here, Jim," I said. "Come here and promise Jane that you won't leave me."

"Oh, no, no," cried the modest Jane, suddenly releasing me and ducking under the bed covers.

I tossed her a kiss. She wrapped it around her thin shoulders and I propped her up with pillows.

At sight of our tear-drenched faces Jim burst into a laugh. It was just the thing both of us needed to bring us to our senses.

"You women beat the Dutch. Why, Jane, you ought to be tickled to death to get a brother-in-law."

And before she knew what was happening he leaped over and kissed her. Old Jane was too fussed to say a word and her sallow face got brick red.

The occasion called for something in the way of a celebration. I knew that Jane kept a bottle of gin hidden behind the bathtub—she had tried hiding it in her dresser, but the colored maid had found it out! Some oranges were in the wooden fruit bowl and in a moment I had a presentable cocktail for each of us.

Well, it was a queer wedding celebration. There was Jane, propped up in bed, Jim sitting at the foot of the bed, while I stood at his side with my arm about his shoulder.

But it did cheer Jane up a lot and when we left, half an hour later, with my hiking suit and a jumble of undies and toilet articles in a suitcase, I felt that Jane would not cry herself to sleep over the sudden loss of her roomy.

"And now where?" I asked when we were once more in the "Antique," as we have named Jim's rattletrap of a car.

"There's a nice hotel in Duncan," said Jim. "Let's go there tonight and tomorrow we'll hit the highway."

It was a drizzly night, warm and thick and friendly.

The car ploughed its way through the pathless fog, its deep-throated siren bellowing its hoarse warnings every few seconds. It was all very mysterious.

It was like a symbol, that fog. There we were, starting out for a goal that was hidden somewhere in the mists of the future as the world was hidden in this impenetrable night.

Jim felt it, too. Gradually the fog lifted as we slipped through the little tree-hung towns and it was quite clear when, at last, Jim drove into what appeared to be a great, private park.

"What an ideal spot for a honeymoon," I exclaimed as we wound about the road and drew up at a big, old-fashioned hotel.

"I thought you would like it," said Jim, very pleased with himself.

The clerk, a middle-aged man, looked at us gravely while Jim registered. "Not 'and wife,' remember," I whispered.

"Sh—!" warned Jim.

But the clerk was smiling broadly. (To Be Continued)

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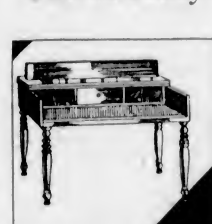
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